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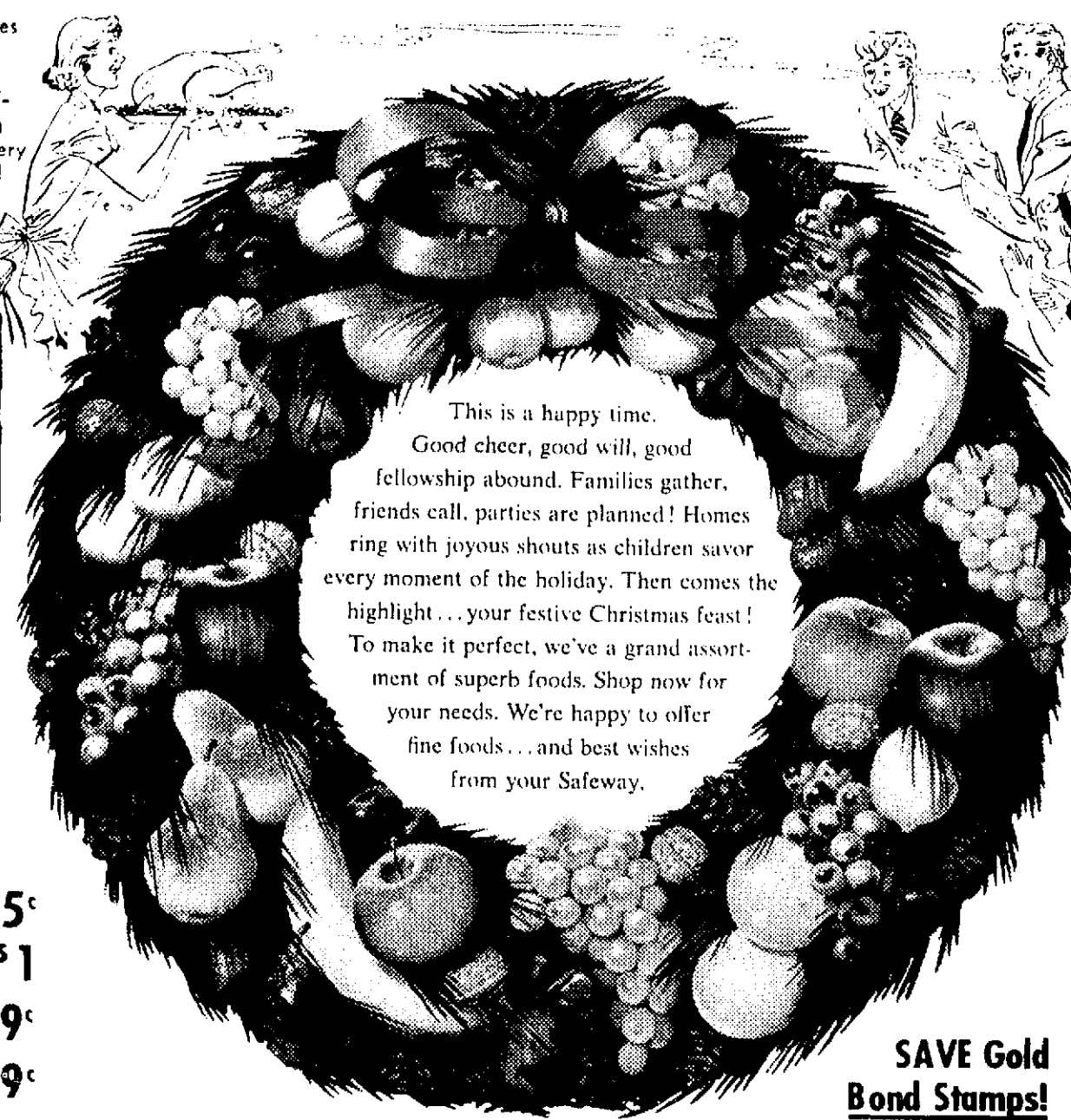
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Stuffed Olives	Empress Manzanilla	5-Oz. Jar	49¢
Aluminum Wrap	Kitchen Craft, H.D.	25-Ft. Roll	59¢
Mince Meat	Borden's None Such	1-Lb. 7-Oz. Jar	49¢
Mince Meat	Borden's Condensed	9-Oz. Ctn.	35¢
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Ribbon Mix	Mrs. Wright's Candy	9 1/2-Oz. Pkg.	39¢
Skylark Rolls	Brown N' Serve	4 12-Cg Pkg.s	1
Rye Bread	Skylark Oven Fresh	4 1-Lb. Loaves	\$1
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Pork Chops	Select Rib Chops	89¢
Quarter Loins	Sliced Inr Chops	65¢
Sliced Bacon	Smok-A-Roniu 1-Lb. 55c	99¢

BUTT PORTIONS		
Water Added, 5-7 Lb. Round End of Ham		
<h1>Lb. 59¢</h1>		
FANCY TURKEYS		
Honeysuckle White, Hens or Toms (or Safeway self-basting Hens or Toms)		
<h1>... Lb. 49¢</h1>		
CHUCK ROAST		
Meaty and Tender Blade Cut		
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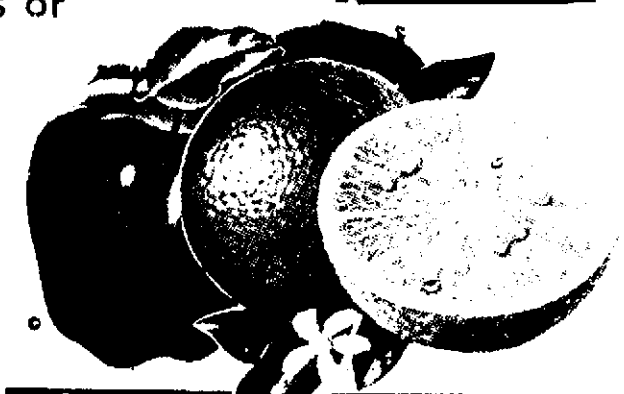
BARGAINS TO CART AWAY		
Cooked Ham	Water Added, Whole or Full Shank Half	Lb. 55¢
Ham Centers	Water Added, for Baking	Lb. 79¢
Ham Slices	Water Added, Choice Centers	Lb. 89¢
7-Bone Roast	Select Cuts of Choice Chuck	Lb. 65¢
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| Apples | Red or Golden Del or Jonathans | 3 -Lb. Bag | 49¢ |
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Family Flour	Robin Hood Plain or S.R.	5 -Lb. Bag	67¢
Deviled Ham	Underwood It's Good!	2 1/2-Oz. Tin	29¢
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# Foes Irked by Move to Force Vote on SST

WASHINGTON (AP) — Senate opponents of the supersonic transport — SST — are angry over a move to force a vote on providing federal aid to the faster-than-sound plane.

Backers of the project moved Thursday to invoke cloture — the parliamentary device used to shut off extended debate.

A two-thirds vote, which under the rules can't come until Saturday, is required to end the talk session.

Opponents planned a filibuster if necessary to stop passage of a Senate-House compromise proposal for \$210 million to build two SST prototypes.

The SST appropriation is part of a \$7 billion measure which also contains funds for highway and airport construction. The bill also would provide money to run the U.S. Coast Guard, the Department of Transportation and other federal agencies.

# Finals in Emmet Tournament

Finals in the Emmet Invitational Basketball tournament will be held Saturday night starting at 7 o'clock.

The first game pairs the Emmet and Cale senior girls and the second the Garland and Cale senior boys.

# Results in Independent Cage Play

Spring Hill beat Perrys 107 to 98 in the Independent Basketball League play this week and Monte's team defeated Blevins 88 to 81.

Next week Blevins will meet Perry's team and Spring Hill will take on Monte's. Any team is welcome to join the league which starts its second half of the season after Christmas. Contact Brint Odum.

Just a word of Thanks to the friends I've made in Hope.

I will be moving to Little Rock January 1st and would like to leave one thought with you:

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# Weather

Experiment Station report for 24-hours ending at 7 a.m. Friday, High 62, Low 27.

# Forecast

ARKANSAS — Partly cloudy tonight and mostly cloudy Saturday. A chance of showers in northwest late tonight and over the state Saturday. Warmer to night and turning colder Saturday. Low tonight low to mid 40s northwest to upper 40s and 50s elsewhere. High Saturday 50s north to 60s south.

# Weather Elsewhere

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

	High	Low	Pr.
Albany, cloudy	31	22	
Albuquerque, clear	56	33	
Atlanta, clear	52	31	
Bismarck, snow	27	7	.01
Boise, cloudy	34	26	
Boston, clear	42	39	1.95
Buffalo, cloudy	33	30	
Charlotte, cloudy	56	29	
Chicago, cloudy	38	35	T
Cincinnati, cloudy	44	37	
Cleveland, cloudy	38	30	
Denver, cloudy	46	22	
Des Moines, fog	38	35	
Detroit, cloudy	35	32	
Fairbanks, snow	M	M	
Fort Worth, cloudy	70	53	
Helena, snow	25	7	.01
Honolulu, clear	80	72	
Indianapolis, cloudy	41	36	
Jacksonville, clear	64	37	
Juneau, clear	32	10	
Kansas City, cloudy	55	42	
Los Angeles, clear	59	45	.02
Louisville, cloudy	43	37	
Memphis, clear	52	36	
Miami, clear	84	61	
Milwaukee, rain	33	31	
Mpls.-St.P., clear	34	30	
New Orleans, clear	63	37	
New York, clear	41	35	.03
Okla. City, cloudy	66	45	
Omaha, cloudy	34	23	
Philadelphia, cloudy	46	39	
Phoenix, cloudy	69	52	.02
Pittsburgh, cloudy	38	33	.05
Portland, Me., cloudy	M	M	
Portland, Ore., fog	48	28	
Rapid City, snow	35	11	.25
Richmond, clear	60	30	
St. Louis, clear	41	30	
Salt Lk. City, fog	34	20	.67
San Diego, cloudy	56	49	.16
San Fran., cloudy	52	42	.33
Seattle, clear	46	30	
Tampa, clear	72	54	
Washington, clear	55	39	
Winnipeg, snow	8	-6	.04

(M—Missing; T—Trace)

# Mitchell Sees No Cause to Rebuke Hoover

By MARK BROWN  
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Atty. Gen. John N. Mitchell said today he doesn't believe FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover's recent statements are a cause for rebuke.

The attorney general also said, in a news conference, the federal government plans no further action in the slaying of two young blacks at Jackson State College in Mississippi last spring and that no decision has been made on whether a federal grand jury probe of the Kent State incident in Ohio is necessary. Four students were killed during a demonstration at Kent State.

Mitchell said he has been satisfied with the job Hoover has been doing as head of the FBI and that Hoover has done nothing so far that would require Mitchell's taking action.

Hoover recently created a stir when he accused two imprisoned antiwar priests, the brothers Phillip and Daniel Berrigan, of heading a conspiracy to kidnap a government official.

Mitchell said Hoover's comments, in a magazine interview, that Mexicans and Puerto Ricans pose little threat against a President because "they can't shoot very straight" could not be considered a racial slur.

"You have to read the statement in context," Mitchell said. "He was not castigating any race or creed or anything else."

"I wouldn't try to impede Mr. Hoover's freedom of speech," Mitchell said. "Until he gets to the point where he is doing something improper, and he has not come anywhere near reaching that point, he can say anything he wants to."

In regard to his own future and rumors that he will resign to run President Nixon's re-election campaign in 1972, Mitchell told reporters at his first news conference in five months:

"I haven't been asked and I sure as hell haven't volunteered."

Asked about Nixon's chances for re-election in 1972 he replied: "I think they're excellent."

# Manufacturers of Soap Are Worried

By G. C. THELEN Jr.  
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Worried soap manufacturers awaited today a government announcement on the safety of NTA, a chemical they have increasingly turned to in place of much criticized phosphates in household detergents.

Indications before today's scheduled announcement had pointed to restrictions or possible banning of NTA in laundry and dishwashing soaps by the Department of Health, Education and Welfare and the Environmental Protection agency.

Detergent makers have invested millions of dollars to develop NTA—nitrilotriacetic acid—as a substitute for phosphates, which have been blamed for pollution of streams and lakes through sewer runoff.

Detergent executives discussed NTA for two hours Thursday with high HEW and EPA officials. Afterward they would only say "no comment" or "wait until Friday" when asked if NTA was to be removed from detergents.

In confirming an announcement would be made today, HEW officials said the Public Health Service has just completed laboratory studies shedding new but unspecified light on the safety of NTA.

The chief critic of the chemical, Dr. Samuel S. Epstein of Harvard medical school, maintains, "There are some unsettling questions concerning NTA that have not yet been answered."

Epstein suggests NTA, which attracts metals, might cause large quantities of lead, mercury, arsenic or other heavy elements poisonous to man to break loose from plumbing systems and lake bottoms.

He also says it might form nitrosamines—proven cancer-causing agents in a number of animals.

NTA, like phosphates, aids washing by softening water, dispersing and suspending dirt, and loosening dirt from fabric.

# Obituaries

CHAMPAIGN, Ill. (AP) — Dr. Oscar Lewis, 56, a University of Illinois anthropologist who was credited with developing the study of poverty as a branch of anthropology, died Wednesday in New York. He was under treatment for a heart condition. Lewis was the author of 12 books and scores of scientific articles.

ULVER, Ind. (AP) — John G. Best, 49, board chairman of CTS Corp., international manufacturer of electronic equipment, was found dead Thursday in his car. Authorities said he died of carbon-monoxide poisoning, apparently Monday night. The company has 15 plants in the United States, Canada, West Germany, Mexico and Taiwan.

# Restrictions on Cambodia Aid Acceptable

By CARL P. LEUBSDORF  
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — A key House member says he expects acceptance of Senate restrictions on U.S. aid to Cambodia in what looms as the biggest congressional victory yet for senators seeking to curb the American role in Southeast Asia.

But a lengthy Senate fight appears likely over the watering down by Senate-House conferees of a provision—designed to bar U.S. combat ground troops from Laos, Thailand and Cambodia—on the \$66.6-billion defense money bill.

Action in both cases may be put off until at least next week amid indications Congress is likely to be kept in session until close to its Jan. 3 expiration date.

The curbs on U.S. aid for Cambodia were included by the Senate in its version of the \$500-million authorization measure that includes \$255 million for that embattled Southeast Asian nation.

They bar U.S. combat ground troops and military advisers, disclaim any U.S. commitment to defend Cambodia and require advance notice of any transfer of aid funds to Cambodia.

"I see no real problem in the Senate language," said Rep. Clement J. Zablocki, of Wisconsin, second-ranking Democrat on the House Foreign Affairs Committee and one of seven House conferees on the aid bill.

"I believe the executive branch can live with it," he told a reporter, noting the language is somewhat different from that in the Cooper-Church amendment on Cambodia passed last June by the Senate and stalemated since by House objections.

The earlier amendment, enacted after seven weeks of debate, also contained provisions hotly opposed by the administration—barring U.S. air support of Cambodian forces and prohibiting U.S. underwriting of aid for Cambodia by other nations.

Sen. Frank Church, D-Idaho, a principal sponsor of the new curb, told the Senate President Nixon advised him the restrictions are acceptable.

The Nixon administration also endorsed extending to Cambodia the year-old ban on U.S. ground-combat troops for Laos and Thailand.

But Senate conferees agreed to water down the ban by permitting actions in those countries to facilitate U.S. troop withdrawals from Vietnam and to free U.S. prisoners, a loophole Senate critics fear could sanction almost any conceivable military move in Southeast Asia including an invasion of North Vietnam.

# Bids Taken on Little Rock Bonds

LITTLE ROCK (AP)—Stephens Inc. and T. J. Raney and Sons, in a combined bid, was the apparent low bidder for \$1.5 million in Little Rock School District bonds.

The bonds were approved for issuance by the voters in the March school election, but the bond sale had been delayed to await a more advantageous time to make the offer.

The successful combined offered a premium of \$40,580.70 couple with an interest rate of 5.25 per cent.

Proceeds from the bond sale have been earmarked for a \$500,000 expansion of Henderson Junior High School and a \$1 million expansion of Metropolitan High School.

# Johnson Takes Blame for Expense Issue

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Neal Sox Johnson, executive director of the state Republican party, took the blame Thursday for the GOP Executive Committee's failure to consider whether to make campaign expenditure reports public.

Johnson says he forgot to put the issue on the agenda for last Saturday's meeting of the committee.

"I just fouled up," he said. "I had it in my notes, but I forgot to put it on the agenda and forgot to bring it up at the meeting."

He said he talked with several members of the committee about the matter at the meeting, "then it just slipped my mind." He said those with whom he talked believed as he did on the issue. "I think the candidates should make their own reports public, but I don't think the party should do it for them."

The Arkansas Election Code requires the reports on campaign expenditures. The reports of general election expenditures by Republicans are made public since they are filed with the secretary of state.

However, GOP reports on primary election expenditures are filed with party officials and have not been made public.

Democrats have made all of their reports public.

# Brazil May Swap With Kidnapers

By SERGIO LEITAO  
Associated Press Writer

RIO DE JANEIRO (AP) — The Brazilian government has given its first indication of willingness to exchange 70 political prisoners for kidnapped Swiss Ambassador Giovanni Enrico Bucher.

A local news agency reported Thursday night that Brazilian authorities were holding talks with the Chilean and Algerian embassies to arrange political asylum for the prisoner and fly them out of Brazil.

Diplomats of the three countries would not comment on the report, but there were strong indications that discussions were under way.

Leftist terrorists kidnaped Bucher on Dec. 7 and demanded that the government free 70 prisoners in exchange for his release. The government asked

# Two Killed in Wreck at Gurdon

GURDON, Ark. (AP)—James Floyd Nowlin, 80, and his wife, Bertha, 81, of Bridgeport, Ala., were killed Thursday when their car rammed the rear of a truck on interstate 30 about six miles north of here.

# Hearing on Medina Case Continues

FT. McPHERSON, Ga. (AP) — A hearing on My Lai charges against Capt. Ernest Medina continues today before an Army officer who will recommend whether Medina will face trial.

Medina, who commanded Charlie Company when it moved through the Vietnamese hamlet in 1968, is charged with over-all responsibility for civilian deaths at the village.

Ten young men were brought to the court building Thursday, presumably to testify at the closed hearing. They were believed to be former members of Medina's company.

Medina's chief civilian attorney, F. Lee Bailey of Boston, told newsmen that testimony about the captain in Lt. William Calley Jr.'s court-martial at Ft. Benning did not disturb him.

Calley was a platoon leader under Medina and several witnesses have claimed a briefing by Medina left them with a belief they should kill every living thing in My Lai.

Asked whether Medina would be called to testify at the Calley trial, which is in Christmas recess until Jan. 11, Bailey replied: "I'll have to decline to answer that at this point."

He added, however, that the former company commander is subject to subpoena, like any other possible witness.

the kidnapers for the names of the prisoners they wanted freed, but the kidnapers refused to provide a list until the government stated publicly that it was willing to make the exchange.

The talks with the Cubans and Algerians were believed to be the first step in getting such a statement prepared.

The report that the talks were being held did much to ease the tension over the kidnaping that had been growing in Rio's diplomatic community. The reluctance of the authorities to negotiate with the kidnapers, coupled with an intensive police search for the terrorists' hideout and tough censorship on the kidnapers' communiques, had created apprehension about the fate of the 57-year-old ambassador.

# Arkla Agrees to Lower Some Rates

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Arkansas Louisiana Gas Co. agreed Thursday to lower the rate on gas it sells to public housing authorities.

John T. Harmon of North Little Rock, attorney for the Arkansas Chapter of the National Association of Housing and Redevelopment Officials, said Arkla's decision would result in savings of thousands of dollars a year for housing authorities. He said the savings could be passed on to the tenants.

Currently, housing authorities pay the domestic rate for gas and receive a 15 per cent discount. In a complaint to the Public Service Commission, they asked to be placed on Arkla's commercial rate system.

Some housing authority officials reportedly were anticipating a reduction of 25 per cent in their gas bills, but an Arkla spokesman said the utility could not estimate the difference in cost between the old rate and the new rate.

In exchange for Arkla's decision to alter the rate, housing authority officials dropped a request that the utility refund to the housing authorities the difference in the amount that was charged by Arkla and what would have been charged under the commercial rate.

# Accident on Bridge Fatal

MEMPHIS (AP) — Ernest E. Measimer, 31, of Concord, N. C., was killed Thursday in a two-car collision on the Arkansas-Tennessee bridge here.

State Police said Measimer's vehicle jumped the median on the bridge and was struck by a vehicle driven by Ovie Gardner Bass, 45, of Trumann.

# Grid Star Is Indicted by Dallas Jury

DALLAS (AP) — The Dallas County grand jury indicted professional football player Lance Rentzel of the Dallas Cowboys today on a charge of indecent exposure to a juvenile.

Dist. Atty. Henry Wade said Rentzel's trial probably would be held in February.

Rentzel, 27, a wide receiver for the National Football League team, was charged in November in connection with an alleged incident involving a 10-year-old girl in suburban University Park.

Rentzel was placed on the Cowboys' inactive list at his own request after the charge was filed.

The football player appeared voluntarily at the University Park police station Nov. 20 and posted a \$1,500 appearance bond.

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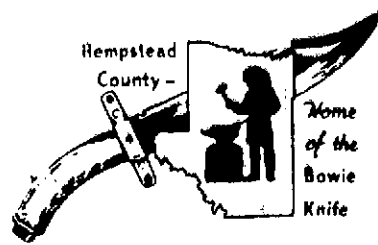
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## No Truth to Snooping, Army Claims

By JIM LUTHER  
Associated Press Writer  
WASHINGTON (AP) — The Army says a preliminary investigation has found no truth to charges the U.S. military spied on an Illinois senator, congressman and former governor.

"I can state that neither Sen. Stevenson, Rep. Mikva, nor former Gov. Kerner are or ever have been the subject of military intelligence activities or investigations related to political activities," Secretary of the Army Stanley R. Resor said in a statement Thursday.

Resor replied to charges raised a day earlier by Sen. Sam J. Ervin Jr., D-N.C., who quoted a former Army agent as saying Army intelligence personnel had collected data on Sen. Adlai Stevenson III, former Gov. Otto Kerner, now a federal judge, and Rep. Abner Mikva.

The allegations, Resor said, "are without foundation in fact." He pledged the Army's cooperation in Ervin's probe of the former agent's story.

Resor said the agent's statement that several other Illinois citizens—including civil, church, education and political leaders—were spied on will be investigated separately. The investigation is continuing in the case of the three Democratic officials, he said.

Ervin quoted the former agent as saying the military intelligence unit at one time was spying on every person in Illinois who expressed disagreement with U.S. involvement in Southeast Asia or who openly opposed Nixon administration domestic policies.

There has been no indication what use, if any, was made of information allegedly gathered by the agents.

After Ervin issued the report of the former agent's statement, the White House released a statement opposing domestic spying and said, "It will not be done under this administration."

Asked whether military personnel actually are engaged in spying on citizens, White House press secretary Ronald L. Ziegler pointed to a statement by Secretary of Defense Melvin R. Laird: "It is not going on in any way at this time."

However, The Associated Press has obtained documents outlining Air Force and Navy requirements for investigation and reporting on "civil disturbances and dissident or subversive activities."

When Sen. Ervin asked about the guidelines, Robert C. Moot, assistant secretary of defense, said the Pentagon has a "very real concern for the privacy and constitutional rights of members of the armed forces."

"As a general rule, investigations are not initiated where the allegation is based on the mere expression of views opposing official U.S. policy in Vietnam," Moot said. "Participation out of uniform in orderly antiwar protest activities normally does not warrant an investigation."

## Burns Fatal to Arkansan

ANCHORAGE, Alaska (AP) — James A. Murphy, 24, of Norphlet, Ark., died Wednesday of burns suffered when fire swept through a Parker Drilling Co. crew camp at Prudhoe Bay.

A spokesman for the firm said Murphy died while en route to a Seattle hospital by plane.

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SHOPPING DAYS  
TILL CHRISTMAS

## Look Lady, This Really Isn't a Drive-in



## U.S. Spends Million on Panels That Are Meaningless, Obsolete

### 4 Lawmakers Took Money From Bankers

WASHINGTON (AP) — Four congressmen and a senator are reported to have accepted campaign donations from a controversial bankers' fund, but five more lawmakers were listed by an investigator as having turned down the checks.

This brought to 18 the number of senators and congressmen who rejected the contributions from the Bankers Political Action Committee in a furor triggered by charges that the donations were aimed at influencing a pending bank regulation bill.

Both the Justice Department and a House special elections committee are investigating. Sen. Harry F. Byrd, Ind.-Va., received a \$5,000 check the day after the election, his campaign treasurer said Thursday.

One source close to the investigations also said Reps. Thomas L. Ashley, D-Ohio, and Charles H. Griffin, D-Miss., had acknowledged accepting \$2,500 each. The source said Rep. Benjamin R. Blackburn, R-Ga., received \$1,000.

Rep. Garry E. Brown, R-Mich., had said last month he would accept his \$2,500 contribution and added, "I see nothing wrong with it."

In a revised report to Congress this week, the bank group listed 13 senators and congressmen who had refused the donations and returned them in full. But an investigator said even the latest report left out five other congressmen who had also turned down the checks.

The investigator said the bank group omitted the names from the revised report, but pointed out in a separate private accounting the checks hadn't been cashed.

## Rare Blood Only Chance for Youth

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — The Red Cross Blood Bank here is asking for a special blood type which the bank says is the "only chance" for a young man who is hospitalized at Little Rock with a "rare disease."

A bank spokesman said the unidentified young man would need a unit of blood a day for five or six days.

The spokesman said a donor was needed who has either O or B negative or O or B positive blood and who has had the shingles, a red skin rash, or the chicken pox within the last four to six weeks. The spokesman said that such blood contains an immunity to the unidentified disease the man is suffering from.

## 3 Accidents Investigated by Police

WASHINGTON (AP) — A house committee estimated today the federal government spends \$75 million a year supporting 3,200 advisory panels—many of which it said are meaningless, obsolete or performing duplicate jobs.

While declaring proper use of such committees is necessary and helpful, the Government Operations Committee deplored inactive ones that are tucked away in bureaucratic obscurity accomplishing nothing.

The report said there are committees to advise advisory committees, committees without appointees, committees with appointed members which do not meet, committees with staffs which do not meet, and committees which go on forever.

Some committees exist in name only, the congressmen said, new members are appointed to expired boards, many panels waste time getting started, some committees cover territory already explored by a previous board, and often conclusions and recommendations are flatly ignored by the people who appoint panels.

The panel proliferation began during George Washington's administration, the House group said, and now has reached the point where no one really knows the extent of manpower being consumed—and there is no way to effectively evaluate the finished product.

In the report climaxing an 18-month review the House panel said was the first comprehensive look at the situation, the committee stated presidential panels—those with at least one member picked by the White House—"generally lack adequate administrative guidelines and management control."

The average Cabinet member serves on about 30 interagency committees—which, the House group said, makes him no more than a token representative.

## Temperatures Scheduled to Be Warmer

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
The National Weather Service says that temperatures through Saturday will be warmer. However, the prediction is for showers for most of the state as a low pressure area moves in by tonight.

As the cold front passes through the state, temperatures will begin falling by Saturday.

Highs Thursday ranged from 50 at Jonesboro to 66 at Texarkana. Overnight lows were Fayetteville, 45; Jonesboro, 35; Pine Bluff, 39; Texarkana, 47; El Dorado, 43; Memphis, 36; Little Rock, 33; and Fort Smith, 38.

## Ceasefire of 24 Hours in Vietnam

By GEORGE ESPER  
Associated Press Writer  
SAIGON (AP) — American and South Vietnamese forces in Vietnam will observe 24-hour cease-fires for Christmas and New Year's, but informed sources said American bombers would continue heavy raids on North Vietnamese supply routes in Laos and Cambodia during the truces.

The allied commands announced today that their forces in Vietnam would hold their fire unless attacked from 6 p.m. Dec. 24 Saigon time until 6 p.m. Christmas Day, and from 6 p.m. New Year's Eve to 6 p.m. Jan. 1.

The Viet Cong announced earlier that its forces would observe cease-fires of three days each over Christmas and New Year's, and four days for the Tet festival of the lunar new year the last week in January.

The cease-fires proclaimed last year by the opposing sides were of the same length.

The American and South Vietnamese commands said nothing about a Tet cease-fire, but they are expected to announce one of at least 24 hours duration unless they detect a massive enemy buildup indicating a repetition of the 1968 Tet offensive.

Launched under cover of a cease-fire, that was the biggest enemy offensive of the war.

Neither the allied nor the Viet Cong cease-fire announcements said anything about Cambodia, where 12,500 South Vietnamese troops are currently operating and American bombers fly in support of Cambodian troops as well as the South Vietnamese.

The spokesman in Phnom Penh for the Cambodian Command said he personally doesn't think there should be a cease-fire, but he indicated his government has reached no decision on the matter.

Gen. Creighton W. Abrams, the commander of U.S. forces in Vietnam, told his men in a Christmas message that "sacrifice is as much a part of Christmas as are the joy and warmth of being with family and loved ones."

"Your sacrifice for the Vietnamese people who are fighting for their freedom of choice is in the spirit of this season," Abrams said.

## State Trooper Receives Award

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — State Trooper Finis Duvall, 27, of Stuttgart was presented the American Red Cross Certificate of Merit Thursday for saving the life of a traffic accident victim July 4.

J. E. Dunlap of Harrison, State Police Commission chairman, presented the award to Duvall who twice administered resuscitation to revive Charles Huff Jr., 20, of Stuttgart.

## 3 Accidents Investigated by Police

Three accidents were investigated by Hope City Police during the past 24 hours. A freak accident occurred at the East Third 7-11 Store about 10 p.m. when an auto driven by Patricia Smith, Rt. 2, Hope, plunged into the store and came to halt at the checking counter.

Fortunately, nobody was in the checking area, and the driver was not hurt. There was considerable damage to the store. The driver told officers the brakes failed. She was charged with driving without a license.

At Village Shopping Center parking lot an auto driven by Frances Macy hit a motorcycle owned by Cleo D. Shelton. There was considerable damage, according to Officers Sinyard and Shirley.

About noon yesterday at North Pine and West Avenue B a city truck driven by Paul Henley and a Jeep driven by Herbert Griffin Jr. collided with small damage resulting. There was no charge by investigating Officer R. Rowe.

## Liquor Still Seized South of Emmet

Nevada County officers Wednesday arrested two Malvern men in a raid on an illegal still operation eight miles south of Emmet.

Sheriff Arthur L. Wicker said James Marvin Stanley, 20, and John Allen Robbins, 32, were arraigned before a U.S. Commissioner in Texarkana Thursday on charges of possession of unregistered stills, possession of mash and non-tax-paid whiskey and carrying on a business of a distiller with bond. They were released on bond.

Officers said the still included three 550-gallon pots, one in operation when the raid was made. Confiscated were 83 and a half gallons of whiskey and 1,400 gallons of mash.

## Yost Rejected Another Post UNITED NATIONS (AP)

Charles W. Yost, who is being replaced as U.S. ambassador to the United Nations, is apparently rejecting President Nixon's offer of some other government post.

Asked by a newsman Thursday why Texas Congressman George Bush had been named to succeed him, Yost said: "I think that question probably should be addressed elsewhere."

## Senate Conglomerate Bill on SS, Welfare, Trade Appears Dead

By JOE HALL  
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate's conglomerate bill on Social Security, trade, welfare and a variety of other subjects appears dead despite a demand from President Nixon that action be taken by Congress before it adjourns.

Rep. Wilbur D. Mills, D-Ark., powerful chairman of the House Ways and Means Committee, said Thursday he sees no chance of rescuing the legislation in a conference, even if the Senate passes it.

And key senators, after a parliamentary go-round lasting for hours, said all the maneuvering leaves almost no chance for the legislation in the Senate.

Nevertheless, supporters of the three major provisions in the bill still are trying to keep their pet projects alive.

Backers of a 10-per cent Social Security increase said they expect the big bill to die but still hope to slip their proposal through at the last minute as a rider on an excise tax extension bill.

Sponsors of a quota-setting trade rider attached to the omnibus bill in the Senate Finance Committee succeeded in getting a bottled version of it up for Senate debate.

And administration officials continued to lobby hard to get the Senate to attach President Nixon's welfare reform proposal to the bill. The welfare plan would guarantee a family of four a \$1,600 annual income.

The foreign-trade, welfare reform and other measures were attached to the Social Security bill by sponsors who hoped their legislation could be carried through by the popular Social Security proposal.

Mills said it would not be fair to the House to consider the many-faceted bill in a conference in the dying days of the session.

He pointed out the Senate Finance Committee had discarded the separate House measures on trade and welfare reform, and thus these House versions would not even get consideration in a Senate-House meeting.

The cut-down version of the trade rider maneuvered before the Senate Thursday contained only three items—textile and shoe quotas and authority for the president to cut tariffs 20 per cent.

## Ozark Reservoir Development

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — The Hardy Construction Co. of Pine Bluff submitted the apparent low bid of \$343,367.50 Thursday on the initial development of four recreation areas on Ozark Reservoir on the Arkansas River.

## All Around Town

By The Star Staff

Dr. Lloyd Gerin of Conway was recently appointed consulting optometrist for the State Welfare Department's Visual Care Service of the Medicaid Program...the aim of the program is to serve welfare recipients under 21 years by providing examinations and eyeglasses for eligible children...a native of San Francisco, he received a degree in optometry in 1952 from Southern College of Optometry in Memphis...Dr. Gerin moved his practice from Hope to Conway in 1967...he is married to the former Jacqueline Thompson of Hope, daughter of Dr. Emmett Thompson, and they have six children...he is a member of the Methodist Church, Arkansas Optometric Association, Rotary, Masons and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H.T. Guerin of Washougal, Washington.

Speaker-elect of the Arkansas House, Rep. Ray Smith Jr. of Hot Springs, announced the appointment of Hempstead Rep. Mack McLarty of Hope to the following committees...Banks & Banking, Industrial Development and Agriculture.

## AP News Digest

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
WARSAW (AP) — Radio reports on the situation in riot-torn Gdansk were contradictory early today, with Radio Warsaw saying life there was back to normal and a broadcast from Szczecin indicating trouble continued. Meanwhile, tension was described as increasing around Poland. The government has declared the equivalent of a state of emergency throughout the country and warned that demonstrators would be shot on sight.

RIO DE JANEIRO (AP) — A local news agency reports Brazilian authorities were holding talks with the Chilean and Algerian embassies to arrange asylum for 70 political prisoners whose release has been demanded in exchange for the kidnapped Swiss ambassador. Such meetings would be the first indication the Brazilian government is willing to negotiate with the kidnappers.

ALSODORF, Germany (AP) — The 2½-year-long thalidomide trial has ended without a formal verdict but the court says it is convinced the drug was responsible for the epidemic of malformed infants a decade ago. The no verdict ending came after the company that manufactured the drug set up a \$27.3 million fund for malformed children.

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## Horatio Woman Killed in Wreck

CAMDEN, Ark. (AP) — Mrs. Ollie Schooley, 55, of near Horatio was killed Thursday when the vehicle she was driving was struck by a truck on U.S. 79 south of here. State Police said Mrs. Schooley was attempting to turn onto U.S. 79 when the accident occurred.

## Fights Disrupt School at Texarkana

TEXARKANA, Ark. (AP) — Following an unannounced meeting of the Texarkana School Board Thursday night, the board issued a plea to parents to encourage their children not to become involved in the fighting that has occurred at the Texarkana High School this week.

Police were called to the campus Wednesday and Thursday after fighting broke out between students.

School Supt. E. D. Trice said that between 20 and 50 students have been suspended as a result of the fighting.

Trice said the school board instructed him to use whatever assistance necessary from the police to curb disturbances at the school.

When the fighting began, Trice said it was non-racial, but now he says it has become a racial problem.

It was reported that the disturbances began after two black youths joined in a fight between two white students to help their white friend. Other students then joined the fighting, which continued through Thursday. When school was dismissed Thursday, three police units were at the school's campus.

## Tanks Called Out in New Poland Riots

By NICHOLAS LILLITOS  
Associate Press Writer

WARSAW (AP) — More trouble was indicated today in Szczecin, shaken by rioting and arson, and tanks were deployed in Gdansk, but the days of violence against government price increases appeared on the wane.

A traveler from Szczecin, Poland's largest port, said mobs burned the Communist party headquarters Thursday in a continuation of rioting that has left 10-20 dead and hundreds injured.

A Western diplomat who returned from the Baltic port of Gdansk, where the major violence broke out Monday, said tanks were positioned every 100 yards along the main street. Warsaw radio reported that life in Gdansk was "fully normal."

Radio Szczecin appealed for observance of the nightly curfew and for "calm, prudence and work" and said the port had begun a normal working day.

But the continued appeals for calm and order were considered evidence that the city the Germans called Settin had yet to return to normal. Buildings were burned and shops were looted before authorities imposed a dusk-to-dawn curfew Thursday.

A Swedish newsman who was in Szczecin Thursday reported the police headquarters and several other buildings were burning when he left the city that night.

The reporter, Anders Tunberg of the Swedish Broadcasting Corp., said a third of the 22,000 shipyard and dock workers had failed to report for work Thursday morning, and the rest refused to work. He said at noon several thousand workers marched into the heart of the city, but "heavy police forces" stopped several thousand others who tried to leave the shipyards.

The nightly curfew also continued in force in the tri-cities of Gdansk, Gdynia and Sopot, on the Bay of Danzig 180 miles east of Szczecin. Passenger train service from Warsaw to Gdansk resumed today after a four-day suspension, but plane and telephone service were still suspended.

Warsaw Radio reported that all shops in Gdansk were open this morning and fully stocked, "people were queuing to get morning newspapers; city transport is operating on a full-scale basis and so is the inter-city electric train line."

The broadcast said all workers went to their jobs in all three cities.



# SOCIETY

Phone 777-3431 Between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m.

## Calendar of Events

Friday, December 18

A Christmas party for elementary and pre-school children will be held at the Hope Country Club on Friday, December 18 from 7 to 8:30 p.m. Hosts will be Mr. and Mrs. W.C. Bruner, Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Wood.

A Christmas party for members of Grade 3 Department of The First Baptist Church Sunday School, will be held Friday night, December 18th, 1970 at 7 o'clock in the home of Mrs. M. S. Bates, 1510 South Elm Street.

The Hope Country Club will have a children's Christmas Party for elementary and pre-school children, Friday, December 18.

The party starts at 7 p.m. and ends at 8:30 p.m.

Saturday, December 19

Two By Two Class of First United Methodist Church will hold their annual Christmas party Saturday, December 19, starting at 7 p.m. in the Douglas building on Texas Street. All members are asked to bring either a dessert, salad or vegetable. The class will furnish the meats, bread and drinks. Gifts will be exchanged.

Sunday, December 20

The piano and organ pupils of Mrs. C. C. McNeill will be presented in recital Sunday, December 20 at 2 p.m. in the sanctuary of the First Baptist Church.

Bro. Lindsay Cofield from Nacogdoches, Texas will be bringing the message Sunday morning, December 20, at Garrett Memorial Baptist Church.

Mrs. Bess Evans will present her piano pupils in a recital Sunday, December 20 at 2 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall of the First Baptist Church.

All Sunday School classes of the First Christian Church will present a Christmas program immediately following vesper services, at approximately 6 p.m., Sunday, December 20. There will also be a Christmas tree and carol singing.

Monday, December 21

Hopeful TOPS will meet Monday, December 21 in the

Douglas Building at 7 p.m. All members are urged to be present and not forget the secret pal gift.

The Millwood Shrine Club will have a Ladies Night Christmas Party Monday, December 21 at 7 p.m. in the Town and Country.

The Ann Wollerman Group of the First Baptist Church will meet Monday night, December 21st., at 7:30 o'clock in the home of Mrs. M. S. Bates, 1510 South Elm Street for their Christmas party. All members are urged to be present and reminded to bring their Lottie Moon offering.

## THIRD DISTRICT ARTS AND CRAFTS

The Third District Arts and Crafts Association, Hope Chapter, met Monday night, December 14 for a dinner meeting at "The Country Kitchen" in Bodcaw.

After a delicious meal, Jack Spates, President, conducted the business meeting. Travis Ward, President of the Third District Livestock Association, reported how much the Association could assist the club in converting an unused horse barn on the fair grounds into an Art Gallery and as a place to have other activities.

Other business consisted of the adoption of the name for the club, appointing committees, and setting the amount for dues and the meeting times. A spring garden Art Show was tentatively discussed.

Any one interested in becoming a member of this group, either as an active member or as a patron, is urged to call 777-3796 or contact Jack Spates.

## CUB SCOUTS HAVE XMAS PARTY

Den 1 of Pack 92 had their Christmas Party at the Albert Patton home Tuesday, Dec. 15. They exchanged presents and had refreshments provided by Denner Taylor King and Assistant Denner Scott Patton, assisted by Robert Holt and Ricky Hammon. Songs were sung and games were played with great fun by all. Two boys were honored by receiving their Bobcat pins—Ricky Hammon and John Aaron Scott. Goodbyes were said to Taylor King, Johnnie Lee Turner and John Aaron Scott who will be moving up into the Webelos Den in January. Den 1 will not meet again until the first Tuesday after school reopens following Christmas vacation.

## Coming, Going

Mrs. Garrett Willis came home last Saturday after spending 3 weeks in Del Valle, Tex., with her daughter, Mrs. Faye Kunze,

## Girl Scout Field Trip



Girl Scout Troop 356 braved some rough weather Tuesday, December 15, on a field trip. They visited the farm of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bobo where the main attraction was triplet calves born recently.

Mrs. Bobo served refreshments buffet style. Chaperoning the girls were Mrs. Arthur Strech, Mrs. Wayne Ward and Mrs. John Hackler. Left to right: Debbie Dewbe, Vickie Bobo, Sandy Watkins. Second row: Carol Dewbre, Susan Hackler, Donna Tunstall, Jeanine Ward, Margo Ward. Third row: Marla Abbott, Sandra Hackler, Pam Cullum, Julie Johnson, Darlene Sallee, Molly Strech and Elaine Atkins.



## HELEN HELP US!

by Helen Bottel

### RECYCLING CENTERS NEED PUSH

Dear Helen:

This is a suggestion for W.B. or SAFE, a leader in her school's anti-pollution campaigns. When she and her friends have difficulty convincing their harassed parents of the need for recycling, try a new approach: We Practice What We Preach - - WPWWP!

Just think of the results if each student made it his or her responsibility to see that:

1. Refundable bottlers were returned to the stores.
2. Non-refundable glass containers were separated by color with labels and rings removed.
3. Newspapers were tied in bundles.
4. Aluminum cans were crushed.
5. Tin cans flattened, ends and labels removed.
6. All these properly stored and frequently delivered to recycling collection centers (which are springing up in every major - - and many minor - - cities these days.)

Parents, after observing the priority given this project by their children, would almost certainly continue it once the kids have left home. —D.B. (P.S.) The above are the instructions for acceptance at our collection center.)

Dear Helen:

I've been married three years to a man who has never held a steady job over two months - - and son.

Mr. and Mrs. J.O. Watson have returned from visits in Lafayette, La., with Mr. and Mrs. Orville Wayne Watson and family and in Snyder, Tex., with friends.

Miss Jean Laseter, Hot Springs, is spending a few days in Hope with friends and relatives.

## Presbyterian Yule Service

The annual Christmas Candlelight Service will be held at First Presbyterian Church on Sunday, December 20 at 5 p.m. This special service is a highlight of the Church year with traditional carols, scripture, poetry, a story and special music by the four Church Choirs. The Christmas Tree will be lighted.

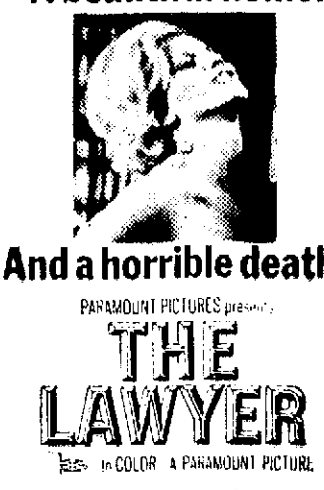
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## WIN AT BRIDGE

Trump-pullers Go Barefoot, Too

NORTH 18			
♠ K 7			
♥ 10 8 4 3			
♦ K 8 6 4			
♣ 9 3 2			
WEST			
♠ J 6 5			
♥ A 7 6			
♦ Q J 10 9			
♣ J 10 4			
EAST			
♠ Q 10 8 4			
♥ 5			
♦ A 7 5 2			
♣ Q 8 7 5			
SOUTH (D)			
♠ A 8 3 2			
♥ K Q J 9 2			
♦ 3			
♣ A K 6			
East-West vulnerable			
South	West	North	East
1♥	Pass	2♥	Pass
4♥	Pass	Pass	Pass
Opening lead—♦ Q			

Back in the days of whist, someone or other thought of the maxim, "When in doubt, lead trumps." An auction bridge writer told about the dozens of shoeless men walking the streets of London because they hadn't remembered to pull trumps.

There is some merit to the story about the shoeless men, except that we are certain that more of them have achieved poverty because they pulled trumps too early. Our own maxim is, "When not in doubt, pull trumps."

Today's hand is a classic instance of this. South ruffs the second diamond with his deuce of trumps and Counts his winners in accordance with the code word ARCH. He sees four probable losers unless he can ruff two spades in dummy. He also sees that he can do this, provided three rounds of trumps aren't played first. Then he plays his king of trumps.

He has no doubt about this. He can afford that one trump lead and a trump return.

Suppose South is allowed to hold that trick? Can he afford a second trump play? No! Defender may take that trick and lead a third trump, whereupon South will have no place to put his fourth spade.

Therefore, when the king of trumps holds, South should stop playing trumps and lead spades. He plays to dummy's king and back to his ace. Then he ruffs a spade; comes back to his hand with a club; ruffs his last spade and now plays a second trump when he can well afford to. He will have to lose a club, but that was a loser in any event.

## ♥♦CARD Sense♠

The bidding has been:			
South	West	North	East
1♠	Pass	1♦	Pass
2♥	Pass	3♠	Pass
3♥	Pass	4♦	Pass
4♦	Pass	4♦	Pass

You, South, hold: ♠K 6 ♥A 9 7 ♦K Q 4 ♣A Q J 3 2  
What do you do now?  
A—Bid four no-trump. This must be Blackwood. Go to seven if he shows two aces.

TODAY'S QUESTION  
Instead of three clubs, your partner has bid four no-trump in reply to your two no-trump. What do you do now?

Answer Tomorrow

Tree Sculpturing  
Topiary, the art of tree sculpturing, started in England in Tudor times. This style of gardening was at its height in the reign of William and Mary and later adorned the gardens of the 18th century.

## NOTICE Downtown Merchants Announce

Christmas Hours OPEN UNTIL 7 P.M.

Friday, Dec. 18  
Monday, Dec. 21  
Tuesday, Dec. 22  
Wednesday, Dec. 23

Close at 5:30 P.M. Dec. 24th

## Television Logs Friday

Night

6:00 Highway Safety	2
Truth Or Consequences	3
News	4-6-7-11-12
6:30 Economics	2
Brady Bunch	3-7
High Chaparral	4-6
Interns	11-12
7:00 TV High School	2
Nanny	3
Movie	7
"Tammy Tell Me True"	
7:30 Kukla, Fran And Ollie	2
Partridge Family	3
Name Of The Game	4-6
Headmaster	11-12
8:00 Washington News	2
That Girl	3
Movie	11
"Once A Thief"	
Movie	12
"Escape To Mindanao"	
8:30 Book Beat	2
Love, American Style	3
9:00 Movie	2
"Marat Sade"	
Music Special	3-7
Bracken's World	4-6
10:00 News, Weather	3-4-6-7-11-12
10:30 Johnny Carson	4-6
Movie	7
"The House Of Rothschild"	
Movie	11
"Affair With A Killer"	
Movie	12
"Gang War"	
10:35 Movie	3
"Johnny Tiger"	
12:00 Movie	4
"The Saint's Vacation"	
12:10 Movie	7
"Lure Of The Swamp"	
12:15 Movie	11
"A Town Like Alice"	
12:30 Dick Cavett	3

## Saturday Morning

6:00 Sunrise Semester	11
Sunrise Semester	12
6:30 Agriculture USA	4
Farm Roundup	11
6:40 Morning Devotional	6
6:45 Agriculture Report	6
6:55 Jot	12
7:00 Reluctant Dragon-Toad	3-7
Huckle-Jeckle	4-6
Bugs Bunny-Road Runner	11-12
7:30 Motor Mouse	3-7
Woody Woodpecker	4-6
8:00 Lancelot Link-Secret Chimp	3-7
Tomfoolery	4-6
Sabrina	11-12
8:30 Bugaloos	4-6
9:00 Jerry Lewis	3-7
Dr. Dolittle	4-6
Josie	11-12
9:30 Doubledeckers	3-7
Pink Panther	4-6
Globetrotters	11-12
10:00 Hot Wheels	3-7
H.R. Pufnstuf	4-6
Archie	11-12
10:30 Sky Hawks	3-7
Grump	4-6
11:00 Hardy Boys	3-7
Pro Football Highlights	4
Hot Dog	6
11:30 Bandstand	3-7
Jambo	6
Monkees	11-12

## Afternoon

12:00 Movie	4
"Flying Leathernecks"	
Laff-A-Lot Club	6
Sun Bowl	11-12
Yellow Jackets of Georgia	
Tech vs. Texas Tech's	

## Sunday Morning

6:30 Across The Fence	12
6:55 Morning Devotional	6
7:00 Agricultural Film	3
This Is The Life	4
Insight	6
Deputy Dawg	11
Farm And Home	12
7:30 This Is The Life	3
Revival Fires	4
Sanctuary Hour	6
Across The Fence	7
Agriculture U.S.A.	12
8:00 Assembly Of God	3
Gospel Singing Jubilee	4
Oral Roberts	6
Christophers	7
Tom And Jerry	11-12
8:30 Smokey Bear	3-7
Herald Of Truth	6
Penelope Pitstop	11-12
9:00 Jonny Quest	3-7
Rex Humbard	4-6
Deputy Dawg	11
Hallelujah Train	12
9:30 Cattanooga Cats	3-7
Church Service	11
Consultation	12
10:00 Bullwinkle	3-7
Oral Roberts	4
Texarkana Town Topics	6
Camera Three	11-12
10:30 Discovery	3-7
Herald Of Truth	4
Davey And Goliath	6
Face The Nation	11-12
10:45 Church Service	6
11:00 Church Services	3-4-7-12
Face The State	11
11:30 Pre-Game Show	11
11:45 Ark-La-Tex Forum	6

## Afternoon

12:00 Directions	3
Doodletown Pipers	4
To Be Announced	6
Opinion	7
Pro Football	11
St. Louis Cardinals vs. Redskins	
Mormon Choir	12
12:30 Meet The Press	6
Church Of Christ	7
Pre-Game Show	12
1:00 Movie	3
"Duffy's Tavern"	
2. "A Connecticut Yankee in King Arthur's Court"	
Pro Football	4-6
Houston Oilers vs Cowboys	7
Nanny	12
Pro Football	12
Chicago Bears vs. Saints	
1:30 Partridge Family	7
2:00 That Girl	7
2:30 Magic Of Christmas	7
3:00 Pro Football	11
San Francisco 49ers	

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# Church News

**HOPE CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Highway 67 E. and Rocky Mound Road.

M.H. Peebles, Minister  
SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School  
10:50 a.m. — Morning Worship  
6:00 p.m. — Evening Worship  
WEDNESDAY  
7:00 p.m. — Mid-week Bible Study

## CHURCH OF CHRIST

5th and Grady Streets  
David Nicholas, Minister  
SUNDAY

10:00 a.m. — Bible Classes for all ages  
10:40 a.m. — Morning Worship  
6:00 p.m. — Evening Worship  
WEDNESDAY  
Mid Week Bible Study  
7:00 p.m. — Classes for all ages open for discussion  
You are welcome to all services.

## CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST

Elder L.C. Washington, Pastor  
SUNDAY  
10:30 a.m. — Sunday School, Mrs. Emma Lee Relebord, Supt.  
12:00 a.m. — Morning Worship  
7:00 p.m. — Y.P.W.W., Mrs. Lillie Kimble, President  
10:00 a.m. — Prayer Service

## CHURCH OF GOL IN CHRIST

Pentecostal Temple  
911 Bell Street  
Elder O.N. Dennis, Pastor  
SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School  
Mr. J.P. Dennis, Supt.  
11:30 a.m. — Morning Worship  
Pastoral Sundays 1st and 3rd

## SUNDAYS

6:00 p.m. — Y.P.W.W. Mrs. Clars Walker, President  
7:30 p.m. — Evening Worship  
MONDAY  
7:00 p.m. — Worship Service  
WEDNESDAY  
4:30 p.m. — Junior Church  
Mrs. Clara Walker, President  
FRIDAY  
7:00 p.m. — Worship Service  
Pastors Aid Comm.

## SATURDAY

2:30 p.m. — Sun Shine Band Mrs. G.B. Garland, President

## MT. ZION C.M.E. CHURCH

Rev. Thomas E. Cherry, Pastor  
SUNDAY  
9:45 a.m. — Sunday School, Mrs. Callie Boatner, Superintendent  
11:00 a.m. — Worship Service  
6:30 p.m. — Young People's Meeting  
7:00 p.m. — Worship Service

## MONDAY

3:30 p.m. (1st & 3rd) Missionary No. 1-Mrs. T.J. Johnson, President  
2:30 p.m. — (2nd & 4th) Stewardess Board Meeting.

## WEDNESDAY

2:30 p.m. General Missionary Meeting, — Mrs. Elzadie Palmore, President  
7:00 p.m. — Teachers Meeting  
7:30 p.m. — Usher Board Meeting, Mrs. Daisy Muldrew, President

## FRIDAY

7:00 p.m. — Steward Board Meeting — Mr. T.J. Johnson, President  
7:00 p.m. — Willing Workers' Club, Mrs. Ever Ray, President

## SATURDAY

4:00 p.m. — Junior Choir Rehearsal-Annie Edwards, President  
6:30 p.m. Senior Choir, Willie Stuart, President

## BEEBEE MEMORIAL C.M.E. CHURCH

SUNDAY  
9:30 a.m. — Church School  
Mrs. Annie Bell Yerger, Supt.  
10:45 a.m. — Morning Worship  
6:30 p.m. — Young People's 4th Sunday Meeting, Mrs. Mattie Sanders, Counselor  
7:30 p.m. — Evening Evangelistic Services

## MONDAY

8: p.m. — Official Board Meeting  
3:00 p.m. — Missionary Circle No. 2

## TUESDAY

7:30 p.m. — Usher Board Meeting  
6:00 p.m. — Missionary Circle No. 1

## BODCAW NO. 2 BAPTIST CHURCH

Bodcaw, Ark.  
Allison Brown, Pastor  
SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School  
10:50 a.m. — Morning Worship  
6:30 p.m. — Training Service  
7:15 p.m. — Evening Worship

## WEDNESDAY

2:00 p.m. — W.M.A.  
7:00 p.m. — Service

## ST. PAUL C.M.E. CHURCH

Washington, Arkansas  
Rev. Luther Henry, Pastor  
SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. — Church School Prof. G.S. Williamson, Supt.  
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship Service  
5:30 p.m. — C.Y.F., Mrs. Evelyn Williamson, Counselor, Miss Wilma Cheatham, President  
6:30 p.m. — Choir Rehearsal

## SHOVER SPRINGS MISSIONARY BAPTIST

Shover Springs, Ark.  
Chester Bullock, Pastor  
Howard Reece S.S. Supt.  
SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship  
6:30 p.m. — B.T.S.  
7:15 p.m. — Evening Worship

## TUESDAY

7:30 p.m. — First Tuesday night of each month the W.M.A. and Brotherhood meets.  
WEDNESDAY  
7:30 p.m. — Mid-week Services

## EPHESUS PRIMITIVE BAPTIST

Eld. J.B. Browning, Pastor  
Highway 67, Emmet, Ark.  
SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. — Song Service, First Sunday  
11:00 a.m. — Preaching Service, First Sunday

## SATURDAY

2:00 p.m. — Preaching Service and Conference, First Saturday of the month.

## IMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH

505 E. Division St.  
SERVICES:  
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship  
7:00 p.m. — Evening Worship  
7:00 p.m. — Wed. Prayer Meeting  
Pastor Richard Wallace  
"THE CHURCH AFFILIATED WITH JESUS"

## SOUTHSIDE ASSEMBLY OF GOD SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

SUNDAY  
9:45 Sunday School  
11:00 Morning Worship  
6:30 p.m. — Christ Ambassador's Service  
7:30 p.m. — Sunday Night Services  
WEDNESDAY  
7:30 p.m. — Midweek Services  
S.E. Tehee — Pastor

## CHURCH OF CHRIST

Fulton, Arkansas  
Bill Pierce, Minister  
SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. — Bible Study  
10:45 a.m. — Worship  
6:00 p.m. — Worship  
WEDNESDAY  
7:30 p.m. — Bible Study

## DAVIS CHAPEL CHURCH

Wm. D. Bright, Pastor  
SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. — Church School  
12:00 a.m. — Worship Hour  
Odessa Campbell, S.S. Supt.  
Sister Jo Ellen Evans, Church Elder.

## BETHAL A.M.E. CHURCH

Dr. W.G. Wynn, Pastor  
Mrs. E.M. Nelson, SS Supt.  
SUNDAY  
9:30 a.m. — Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship  
6:30 p.m. — A.C.E. League  
7:30 p.m. — Evening Worship  
TUESDAY  
7:30 p.m. — Choir Rehearsal

## FIRST UNITED PEN-TECOSTAL CHURCH

Fourth and Ferguson Street  
Rev. B.W. Lane, Pastor  
SUNDAY  
9:30 a.m. — Radio Broadcast "Harvestime"  
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School  
Douglas Williams Superintendent  
11:00 a.m. — Message by Pastor  
7:00 p.m. — Evangelistic Service  
WEDNESDAY  
1:30 p.m. — Prayer Meeting time  
7:00 p.m. — Youth Service and Message by Pastor  
We invite you to attend.

## SPRINGHILL METHODIST CHURCH

Spring Hill, Arkansas  
Connie A. Robbins, Pastor  
SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship

## GOSPEL LIGHT HOUSE

Andres and Avenue C  
Jos. T. Rowe, Pastor  
SUNDAY  
7:30 a.m. — Radio Broadcast  
9:45 a.m. — Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship  
7:00 p.m. — Evening Worship  
WEDNESDAY  
7:30 p.m. — Midweek Service  
You are cordially invited.

## ROCKY MOUND BAPTIST CHURCH

Merlin Cox, Pastor  
Floyd Pharris, S.S. Supt.  
SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship

## GARRETT CHAPEL MISSIONARY BAPTIST

Second and Casey St.  
Rev. G.L. Hughes, Minister  
SUNDAY  
9:45 a.m. — Sunday School, Mrs. Emma Edwards, Supt.  
10:45 a.m. — Morning Worship  
2:00 p.m. — Broadcast KXAR  
6:00 p.m. — Baptist Training Union, Mr. Willie Brown, Director  
7:30 p.m. — Evening Worship  
MONDAY  
7:00 p.m. — Evening Worship  
TUESDAY  
7:30 p.m. — Senior choir rehearsal and Usher Board meeting  
WEDNESDAY  
7:30 p.m. — Mid-Week Prayer Meeting  
7:30 - 8 p.m. — Officers and Teachers meeting  
THURSDAY  
5:00 p.m. — Junior Choir Rehearsal  
7:00 p.m. — Young Women Auxiliary meeting

## NEW LIBERTY MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Four Miles South of Emmet  
Bro. Harold Marcum, Pastor  
Preaching every Sunday. Jeff Langston S.S. Supt.  
SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School  
Classes, Sermon by Pastor  
6:30 p.m. — B.T.S.  
7:00 p.m. — Evening Worship  
Sermon by Pastor  
THIRD SATURDAY  
2:00 p.m. — Singing Hope Nursing Home  
FIRST SUNDAYS  
2:00 p.m. — Precious Memories Singing

## SARDIS BAPTIST MISSIONARY CHURCH

8 Miles S. Patmos Rd.  
Delmer Irvin, Pastor  
B. V. Jester, S.S. Supt.  
Meetings are 1st and 3rd Sundays  
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship  
7:00 p.m. — Evening Worship

## PROVIDENCE MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH

Perrytown, Arkansas  
Carlton Roberts, Pastor  
Music Director: Harold Duke  
Pianist: Sherry Patterson  
SUNDAY  
8:00 to 8:30 a.m. — "Amazing Grace" Radio Program over KXAR  
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School: James Vess, Supt.  
10:50 a.m. — Morning Worship Service  
6:00 p.m. — B.T.S., Brice Thomas, Jr., Pres.  
7:00 p.m. — Evening Worship Service  
WEDNESDAY  
7:00 p.m. — Mid-Week Bible Study  
7:45 p.m. — Teachers Meeting  
7:45 p.m. — Ladies Auxiliary and Mens Brotherhood meets every second and fourth weeks.  
THURSDAY  
7:00 p.m. — Visitation

## SOUTHSIDE MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Lewisville Highway  
Elder Carrol Byers, Pastor  
Bro. Luke Treece, Music  
Verdell Treece, Pianist  
SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School  
Supt. Elder Milow Sweezy  
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship Service  
6:00 p.m. — Training Service  
Alan Foster, President  
7:00 p.m. — Evening Worship Service  
MONDAY  
7:30 p.m. — WMA  
WEDNESDAY  
7:30 p.m. — Midweek Worship Service  
THURSDAY  
Thursday night visitation  
7:30 p.m. — Youth Fellowship

## JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES

Kingdom Hall, 1712 South Elm.  
Eugene Shuster, Minister  
SUNDAY  
3:00 p.m. — Week Watchtower Study  
TUESDAY  
8:00 p.m. — Bible Study: Babylon has Fallen — God's Kingdom Rules  
FRIDAY  
7:30 p.m. — Theocratic Ministry School  
8:30 P.M. — Service Meeting

## OAK GROVE METHODIST CHURCH

1½ Miles East of Shover Springs  
Connie A. Robbins, Pastor  
SUNDAY  
9:30 a.m. — Morning Worship  
10:30 a.m. — Church School

## MT. CANNAN BAPTIST CHURCH

Sherman and Beech St.  
Rev. E.D. Lonnie, Pastor  
SUNDAY  
9:45 a.m. — Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. — Morning worship  
WEDNESDAY  
3:00 p.m. — Home Mission

## HOPE (ARK.) STAR, Printed by Offset

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Southwest corner East Avenue H and North Walker  
Overseer — Bishop C.S. Hopper  
Pastor — Elder W.H. Terrell  
Ass't Pastor — Fred Artis Sr.  
Pianist — Elds. Velma Arits, Diann Ware, and St. Mae Alice  
Thomas  
SUNDAY  
11:00 a.m. — Morning Services  
7:30 p.m. — Night Services  
FRIDAY  
7:30 p.m. — Regular Services 3rd Sunday each month Young People Day Services: 11:00 a.m. — 3 p.m. — 7:30 p.m.

## MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

McNab, Arkansas  
Pastor: Elder Harold Griffin  
Sunday School Supt. Charles Hawthorne  
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship  
5:00 p.m. Evening Worship

## FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

North Main and Ave. B.  
SUNDAY  
9:45 a.m. — Sunday School  
10:45 a.m. — Morning Worship with Leon Taylor  
5:00 p.m. — Vesper Service, with David Pearson  
THURSDAY  
7:30 p.m. — Choir Practice

## FORREST HILL BAPTIST CHURCH

Hwy. 4 East...9 miles  
G.W. Hooten, Pastor  
SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. — Sunday Morning  
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship  
6:00 p.m. — Training Service  
7:00 p.m. — Evening Worship

## FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

McNab, Ark.  
Bro. I.J. McKamie, Minister  
Olen Smith—Supt.  
SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship Service  
6:00 p.m. — Evening Worship Service

## FIRST CHURCH OF GOD

North Bell Street  
SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. — Worship Service  
WEDNESDAY  
7:30 p.m. — Prayer Meeting

## CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

513 South Elm Street  
Rev. Al Butler, Pastor  
SUNDAY  
9:45 a.m. — Sunday School  
10:50 a.m. — Morning Worship  
7:00 p.m. — Youth and Adult meetings  
7:30 p.m. — Evangelistic service

## OUR LADY OF GOOD HOPE CATHOLIC CHURCH

Third and Walker Streets  
Rev. Joseph Enderlin  
SUNDAY  
8:30 a.m. — Sunday Mass  
Sunday School immediately after Masses.  
Sacred Heart Devotions on the first Friday of every month at 8:00 a.m.

## CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

1201 West Avenue B  
SUNDAY  
9:30 a.m. — Sunday School, Hervey Holt, Director  
10:55 a.m. — Morning Worship  
6:30 p.m. — Training Union, Gilbert Ross, Director  
7:30 p.m. — Evening Worship  
MONDAY  
7:30 p.m. — Men's Bible Study  
WEDNESDAY  
7:00 p.m. — Teachers Meeting  
7:30 p.m. — Prayer Meeting  
FRIDAY  
8:00 to a.m. to 8:00 p.m. — Prayer Room

## PROVIDENCE BAPTIST CHURCH

Hwy. 29 South  
Elbert O'Steen, Pastor  
SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School, Eugene Bobo, Supt.  
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship  
6:30 p.m. — B.T.S.  
7:30 p.m. — Evening Worship  
WEDNESDAY  
Every other Wednesday night after first and third Sunday, Brotherhood meeting and W.M.A.  
7:00 p.m. — "Welcome to all services"

## COMMUNITY BAPTIST CHURCH

Okay, Arkansas  
Stacy Thrasher, Pastor  
SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. — Worship Service  
6:30 p.m. — Evening Worship  
WEDNESDAY  
6:30 p.m. — Prayer Service

## LONOKE BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Walter White, Pastor  
Ella Roberson, Supt.  
SUNDAY  
9:45 a.m. — Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship  
MONDAY  
5:00 p.m. — Boys Club  
TUESDAY  
6:00 p.m. — Spiritlifters and Lonoleers  
7:00 p.m. — Celestial Choir  
8:00 p.m. — Imperial Choir

## LIBERTY MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

W. L. Bazaar, Pastor  
On California - off Rosston Road Hwy. 4  
SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship  
6:00 p.m. — BTS  
7:00 p.m. — Evening Service  
WEDNESDAY  
7:00 p.m. — Prayer Meeting

## POWERS MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Fulton Route 1  
SUNDAY  
10:15 a.m. — Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship  
6:30 p.m. — Singing  
7:00 p.m. — Evening Worship

## NEW HOPE MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Washington Hwy, 3 Miles North  
Chester Daniels, Pastor  
Carl Thornton, S. S. Supt.  
SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School, Classes for all ages  
10:00 a.m. — Morning Worship  
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship with sermon by Pastor  
6:00 p.m. — B.T.S. Billy McCorkle, President  
WEDNESDAY  
7:00 p.m. — Mid-week Services

## GARRETT MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH

300 N. Ferguson Street  
Clyde Johnson, Pastor  
Wade Warren, Music  
Mrs. Wade Warren, Organist  
Janice Lauterback, Pianist  
SUNDAY  
9:00 a.m. — Rock of Ages  
Broadcast over KXAR  
9:50 a.m. — Sunday School, Lyle Allen, Supt.  
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship  
Sermon by Pastor  
6:00 p.m. — Training Service  
Don Webb, President  
7:00 p.m. — Worship Service  
MONDAY  
4:00 p.m. — G.A.'s  
TUESDAY  
2:00 p.m. — Senior WMA  
2:00 p.m. — Cora Mae Auxiliary  
WEDNESDAY  
7:00 p.m. — Teachers Meeting  
7:30 p.m. — Worship Service

## UNITY BAPTIST CHURCH

5th & Hervey St.  
Gordon Renshaw, Pastor  
Shelby Cowling, Music Director  
Mrs. Jack Brown, Pianist  
Mr. Edward Cooper, Organist  
Sunday School Superintendent, Mr. Roland Ballard.  
SUNDAY  
8:30 a.m. — KXAR Radio  
9:45 a.m. — Sunday School  
10:45 a.m. — Morning Worship  
5:00 p.m. — Youth Choir  
6:00 p.m. — Training Service  
6:45 p.m. — Evenings Worship  
MONDAY  
7:30 p.m. — 2nd Brotherhood  
3rd Nancy Courtney  
W.M.A.  
6:45 p.m. — 4th Church Supper  
TUESDAY  
1:30 p.m. — LaTrell Bateman  
W.M.A.  
WEDNESDAY  
6:00 p.m. — Primary Choir  
G.M.A. I  
Galilean I  
Sunbeam  
6:45 p.m. — Junior Choir  
G.M.A. II  
Galilean II

## ST. MARK'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Third and Elm Streets  
SUNDAY  
9:00 a.m. — Services  
WEDNESDAY  
7:00 p.m. — Services

## PENTECOSTAL CHURCH OF GOD

913 N. Sherman St.  
Overseer and Pastor — Elder Jesse Graves  
Elder Ida Bell Assistant Pastor  
Mitchell Heard S.S. Supt.  
Lillian Flenory, Church Clerk  
SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship  
WEDNESDAY  
7:30 p.m. — Prayer Service  
Bible Study, Pastor in charge.  
The Public is invited to come and witness the Pentecostal Power.

## RIISING STAR BAPTIST CHURCH

500 Oak Street  
Rev. W. M. Martin, Pastor  
H. L. Washington, Finance  
Clerk, James West, Treasurer  
SUNDAY  
9:45 a.m. — Sunday School  
Mrs. Nannie Washington, Supt.  
10:50 a.m. — Prayer Service  
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship  
7:30 p.m. — Evening Worship  
MONDAY  
3:30 p.m. — General Mission  
6:00 p.m. — Junior Choir  
Rehearsal  
7:30 p.m. — Gospel Choir  
Rehearsal  
TUESDAY  
7:30 p.m. — Usher Board 2nd and 4th  
WEDNESDAY  
7:30 p.m. — Bible Study & Prayer Meeting  
THURSDAY  
7:30 p.m. — Senior Choir  
Rehearsal  
FRIDAY  
6:00 p.m. — Imperial Choir  
Rehearsal

## BELL'S CHAPEL NAZARENE CHURCH

Blevins, Arkansas  
Rev. Wayne Bell, Pastor  
SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship  
6:30 p.m. — Sunday Night Services  
WEDNESDAY  
6:30 p.m. — Mid-week Prayer Service

## FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

322 N. Main  
C. C. Truitt, Pastor  
SUNDAY  
9:40 a.m. — Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship  
4:30 p.m. — Revival time, KXAR  
5:30 p.m. — Youth Choir Practice  
6:00 p.m. — Choir Practice  
Jr. Youth Services  
Sr. Youth Services  
Peoples Panel  
7:00 p.m. — Evangelistic Rally  
WEDNESDAY  
7:00 p.m. — Prayer Meeting  
7:30 p.m. — Bible Study

## FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Church — James E. Sewell  
Church School Supt., Thomas E. Hays, Jr.  
Organist, Mrs. R.L. Gosnell  
The Christmas tree is now up in the Sanctuary and the public is invited to come by and see it.  
SUNDAY  
9:30 a.m. — Coffee Hour  
9:50 a.m. — Church School Hour  
Women's CLC Class, Mrs. Crit Stuart, Teacher  
Women's Discussion Group, Mrs. Arthur Wimmell, Leader  
Men's Bible Class, Haskell Jones, Teacher  
Mixed Couples Class, Clyde Fouse, Leader  
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship  
Anthem "Alleluia Hodie" (Young)  
Solo "What Child Is This?" (English tune)  
Mrs. C.W. Snowden  
Anthem "The Friendly Beasts"  
Primary & Jr. Choirs  
6: p.m. — PYF Meeting  
MONDAY  
7: p.m. Choir Practice  
TUESDAY  
7:00 p.m. Explorer Scouts Meeting  
WEDNESDAY  
3: p.m. Jr. and Primary Choir Practice  
7:00 p.m. PYF Youth Council Meeting  
THURSDAY  
7:00 p.m. — Boy Scouts Meeting

## FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

West 2nd at Pine  
Rev. Norris Steele, Minister  
Mrs. B.C. Hyatt, Organist  
SUNDAY  
9:40 a.m. — Church School (all ages)  
Royce Weisenberger will teach the Century Bible Class  
10:50 a.m. — Morning Worship Service  
Solo:  
Sermon: Rev. Norris Steele, Minister  
4:00 p.m. — All Youth and Children Choirs will meet in the Sanctuary for practice for the Christmas program  
5:30 p.m. The Mid-High and Junior UMY groups will meet in Fellowship Hall  
7:00 p.m. — The Christmas program by the Youth and Children choirs will be held at this hour instead of the usual Evening Worship Service  
Refreshments will be served in fellowship Hall to all immediately after this service  
WEDNESDAY  
7:00 p.m. — The Senior UMY group will meet in the home of Tommi Watson

## CHURCH OF CHRIST

North Walker Street  
Clyde Nations, Minister  
2nd and 4th Sundays  
10:45 a.m. — Bible Class  
11:00 a.m. — Preaching  
7:00 p.m. — Bible Class each Friday

## BODCAW NO. 1 MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. — Church  
7:00 p.m. — Evening Services  
WEDNESDAY  
7:00 p.m. — Worship Services

## BETHANY BAPTIST CHURCH

Spring Hill  
Charles Jones, Pastor  
James Yates, S.S. Supt.  
SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School  
Message - Pastor  
Evening Service  
6:30 p.m. — BTS  
Message - Pastor  
6:30 p.m. — Singing each 4th Sunday eve.  
TUESDAY  
4:00 p.m. — Galileans  
4:00 p.m. — Junior GA  
3:30 p.m. — Girls Auxiliary  
WEDNESDAY  
7:00 p.m. — Mid-week Service

## FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Gerald W. Trussell, Pastor  
Mr. Jim Hart, Minister Music-Ed.  
SUNDAY  
9:30 a.m. — Sunday School and First Worship Hour  
10:45 a.m. — Sunday School and Second Worship Hour  
1:00 p.m. — Baptist Hour (KXAR)  
2:00 p.m. — Piano Recital, students of Mrs. Bess Evans, Fellowship Hall  
2:30 p.m. — Piano Recital, students of Mrs. C.C. McNeill  
4:30 p.m. — Senior High Choir  
5:45 p.m. — Church Training, Choir, Age 3 through Grade 3  
7:00 p.m. — Worship Hour  
MONDAY  
7:00 p.m. — Men's Basketball Game First Baptist vs. Assembly of God  
7:30 p.m. — Ann Wollerman Group will meet in the home of Mrs. M.S. Bates  
TUESDAY  
7:00 p.m. — Youth Carol Party  
WEDNESDAY  
5:00 p.m. — Choirs, grades 4 — 8  
6:00 p.m. — Family Supper  
6:30 p.m. — GA, RA, Asteens, Promotional Period for Officers & Teachers  
6:45 p.m. — Separate Departmental Meetings, Adult Sunday School Lesson taught, Leadership Training Session  
7:30 p.m. — Prayer Hour  
8:20 p.m. — Adult Choir Rehearsal

Friday, December 18, 1970







## KEEP in TOUCH



Isolation is a bad word. It means to separate as one would take rotten apples from good ones, or remove an infected person from noninfected ones. We also might isolate ourselves from others just by removing the mail box from the corner. But to do without the mail box would be unthinkable. Intercity, intercommunity, interstate and inter-country communication would suffer.

Our mail boxes help us to keep in touch with each other. But the mail box does not answer all our communication needs. Our spiritual requirements must be supplied. We must have a faith to live by and hope to give us a sense of security. They come through prayer. The mail box may help us keep in contact with each other, but prayer and then more prayer will keep us in touch with God. If you think your mail box is indispensable, then what do you think about your church? One church means more to your community than all its postal facilities. The United States mail box is a wonderful thing, but keeping in touch with your God is much more wonderful. Keep in touch with God.

**You In The Church**  
The Church In You  
— form a combination for good. Every man, woman and child needs the influence of the church. So, come let us go into the house of the Lord. Let us support her program of service to humanity, be a faithful worker, a daily bible reader and attend services regularly.



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Barney Starkey and Staff  
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Phone 777-4686

**Hope Furniture Co.**  
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**Hogue ESSO Service Center**  
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**Hope Auto Company, Inc.**  
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**Hope Beverage Company**  
Mr. and Mrs. Al Page  
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And All Employees

**Hope Nursing Home**  
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Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stewart  
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**Hosey's Downtown TEXACO Service**  
Julian O. Hosey - Ph. 777-9986

**James Cleaners**  
Mr. and Mrs. W.F. James  
Phone 777-2816

**James Motor Co.**  
Jim James - Oldsmobile, Buick  
Pontiac - Phone 777-4400

**LaGrone Williams Hardware**  
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119 S. Elm - Ph. 777-3111

**Leo's Garage & Implement Co.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hartfield  
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**Main Pharmacy**  
Mrs. Jim Martindale-R.C. Lehman, Sr.  
Phone 777-2194

**Meyer's Brown 'N Serve Bakery**  
Attend Church Every Week  
Box 132 Hope, Ark - 777-4613

**Oakcrest Funeral Home & Burial Assn.**  
Vance Marcum - Phone 777-6772

**Patterson TEXACO Service**  
Mr. H.E. Patterson  
Ph. 777-2222

**Perry's Truck Stop & Motel**  
Perry Campbell and Staff  
Phone 777-5733

**Shanhouse & Sons, Inc.**  
Mrs. Velma Cox - Ph. 777-4651

**Phippin & Yocom Garage & Body Shop**  
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**Stephens Grocer Co.**  
Mrs. Herbert Stephens - Harold M. Stephens  
Phone 777-6741

**Still Auto Service**  
Mr. and Mrs. Jewell Still  
Phone 777-3281

**Tarpley's Motel**  
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26 to 30	1.80	3.95	4.80	13.90
31 to 35	2.00	4.40	5.30	15.40
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### 4. Notice

**HOME CURED MEAT**—Sugar cured and hickory smoked. Hams \$1.20 per pound, bacon 90c pound. Shipped anywhere in U.S.A. Russell's Curb Market, 902 West Third, 777-9933.

12-2-1mc

## Employment

### 8. Male or Female

**WANTED.** One neat appearing lady with car. Age 30-50 to do survey work for Insurance Firm. Complete training program. Apply T. R. Newson, District Office, 514 Wood Street, across street from Post Office, or write P.O. Box 1917, Texarkana, Arkansas. Phone 773-3391. Interviewing daily, 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. Now to January 1.

12-17-6tc

## Wanted

### 13. Miscellaneous

**BUY-RANCH** and Timberland, city residence property; see or call Buck Williams, 777-5884 or 777-2888.

12-5-1f

**HIGHEST PRICES** Paid for Pecans. Pat Rateliff, 110 South Walnut. Phone 777-5284.

12-11-1mc

## Articles For Rent Or Lease

### 15. Apartments-furnished

**FOR LEASE AT HILLCREST AND IMPERIAL**—1 and 2 bedroom apartments. Central air conditioning. Utilities paid. Some furnished, \$100 up 777-3363, or 777-6731. Also, full equipped EFFICIENCY apartments available by the week.

12-2-1f

**FURNISHED APARTMENTS.** Adults only. No drinking. 300 Edgewood.

12-1-1f

### 15. Apartments-furnished

**TWO ROOM** furnished apartment with private bath. Call 777-5270 for more information.

12-14-6tc

**FIVE ROOM** furnished apartment \$55 month. See at 215 N. Hervey.

12-17-4tp

### 21. Houses-unfurnished

**TWO BEDROOM** House. Call 777-5270 for more information.

12-17-6tc

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**TWO BEDROOM** unfurnished home. 1021 West Seventh. Call A.D. Middlebrooks, 777-3467 or 777-6743.

12-15-1f

**THREE BEDROOM** two baths, den, 529 Peach. Call 777-4385.

12-15-6tc

**TWO BEDROOM** Unfurnished house. Three blocks from grade school. Call 777-3873.

12-16-4tc

**THE LEMLEY HOME** on West 16th Street. \$100 month. Call 777-4661, Greening & Ellis Company.

12-18-4tc

### 24. Mobile Homes

**SELL-RENT-LEASE.** One bedroom mobile home and lot. Air conditioned, furnished. Move in now. Contact Harry Phillips.

12-16-3tc

### 27. Ambulance Service

**24-HOUR AMBULANCE SERVICE.** Call 777-3334, Hempstead County Ambulance Service, Inc. Air conditioned, oxygen equipped, two way radio. Certified courteous attendants.

12-7-1f

## Services Offered

### 39. Job Printing

**QUALITY COMMERCIAL** Printing - Letterpress or Offset. **ETTER PRINTING CO.** 983-2634, Washington, Arkansas.

12-26-1f

**PIONEER PRINTERS,** Village Shopping Center. Printing, office supplies, office furniture, 3M Photo copiers and supplies. 777-6747.

12-9-1f

### 40. Meat Processing

**RALPH MONTGOMERY** Custom Slaughtering, and meat processing. Phone 777-3808 or 777-6088.

12-1-1f

### 41. Miscellaneous

**ROWE'S LEATHER.** Hand made saddles, saddle repair, chaps, bridles, blankets, spurs, belts, billfolds, holsters. 777-4666.

12-17-1f

### 47. Rug Cleaning

**CARPET AND BRAIDED** rugs cleaned. For free estimation phone: 777-4670 or see Curtis Yates.

12-20-1f

**IT'S INEXPENSIVE** to clean rugs and upholstery with Blue Lustre. Rent electric shampooer \$1. Home Furniture Co.

12-12-6tc

**FLUFFY SOFT** and bright as new. That's what cleaning rugs will do when you use Blue Lustre! Rent electric shampooer \$1. Hope Furniture Co.

12-15-6tc

**4. Notice**

12-15-6tc

## SUPERVISORS

**WANTED**

High school graduate or above. Must be experienced in poultry processing supervision and be able to lead. This is a new plant with plenty of opportunity for advancement. Send information to Box 379, Nashville, Arkansas or call 501-845-2315 for appointment.

12-15-6tc

### 45. Photo Finishing

**Holiday Prices** on

**Film Processing**

(Color)

Exposure roll

Process & print

8 mm Movie Film

processed

**Clyde Davis**

**PHOTOGRAPHY**

220 S. Walnut 777-5811

12-14-6tc

### 52. Watch Repair

**FINEST WATCH & Jewelry** repair. All work guaranteed. Party napkins for all occasions, personalized, printed. Stewart's Jewelry Store, 208 South Main.

12-6-1f

## For The Home

### 55. Electrical Services

**FOR ALL TYPES** of Electrical wiring call William Burnett. No job too small. For Prompt, efficient service call 777-4948.

12-15-1mp

### 55.A Appliance Repair

**CALL LARRY REDLICH** for all your appliance repair, including: air conditioning, refrigeration and heating, 777-5764.

12-20-1f

### 59. Miscellaneous

**SINGER SEWING** Machine Service, also repair any make or model. Free estimates. Fabric Center, 777-5313.

12-19-1f

**HOME REPAIRS,** roofing, paneling, painting, general repairs. Call 777-4016 after 4 in the evenings.

12-9-1mc

**SINGER SEWING** Machines. Don't be misled! For the only authorized Singer Sewing Machine Sales & Service in the Hope area. Repossessed Zig Zag, \$5 per month. In town on Tuesdays, and Thursdays. Call McLain Cleaners, 777-8333.

12-9-1f

**60. Painting Services**

**PAINTING AND PAPER** hanging by the hour or contract. Free estimation. Clifton Whitten, phone 777-6494.

12-17-1f

**SPRAY PAINTING**—contracted or hourly rates. Urethane foam applied, roofing, vaults, insulation. Also Artic Coat paint for sale—wholesale only. P.O. Box 447 Blevins, Ark. 501-874-3711 or 501-874-3601.

11-24-1mp

**62. Piano Tuning**

**EXPERT PIANO TUNING** and repair. Call 777-5457 for more information.

12-19-1f

### 74. Furniture

**WALKER'S NEW & USED** furniture, 777-6233, 213 S. Main. Give highest prices for your furniture. Will sell-trade-or buy.

12-7-1f

**LUCK'S USED FURNITURE** CO. See me before buying or selling H.E. Luck, 904 North Hazel, 777-4381.

12-7-1f

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Come help us celebrate our opening!

**Jack & Kathleen Cunningham**

12-17-3tc

## AUCTION

### Farm Equipment

**Self-propelled combine,** Oliver Super 88 Diesel tractor, Case 600 Caseomatic Butane tractor;

Southern plow disc 8-foot offset; Case disc 8 foot;

Case 4-row planter, beans or corn; Oliver drill; 4-

row cultivator, John Deere; Pratt sub-soiler; International field cultivator; two 2-section harrows;

new Ideal mower; three-point tractor blade; three sections rotary hoe; three point hook-up carryall;

tractor hook-up grader, Caterpillar; two bottom disc plow; John Deere hay rake, side delivery;

International one row middle breaker; John Deere 2-row cultivator; steel wheel wagon components;

one row International planter and fertilizer distributor; John Deere string tie baler; International two-disc breaking plow;

John Deere two bottom mold board plow, three point; John Deere two-bottom middle breaker 2-point hitch, International mower.

10 a.m. SATURDAY, DECEMBER 19th 5-miles from McCaskill on North Patrol Road, turn south off Highway 24, 2½ miles west of McCaskill, formerly part of E. C. Kelley ranch.

OWNER: Ray Joeris, Route 1, McCaskill

AUCTIONEER: J. C. Dyer, Nashville.

12-17-2tc

### 63. Plumbing Services

**PONDER PLUMBING** Company. Contractor, repair, heating, Sewer, etc. Day or night 777-5528 or 887-6878.

12-6-1f

## Articles For Sale

### 67. Antiques

**UNIQUE, QUALITY GIFTS** for Christmas, all-occasions. Reasonable prices. **ANDRESS ACRES ANTIQUES,** Spring Hill Road.

11-18-1mc

**67. Antiques**

**WE HAVE A Large** selection of new glass items, as well as old, for your Christmas Giving. **HOUSE OF BOTTLES,** Washington, Ark.

12-4-18tc

**71. Cars or Trucks**

**WANTED**—Late model used cars and pickup trucks. Hope Volkswagen, Inc. See James Gaines or J.B. Ingram, Jr. Phone 777-5726 or 777-6100.

12-25-1f

**1969 MUSTANG GRANDE-** 302, V8, automatic transmission, air and power. Call 867-3451 after 5.

12-16-4tp

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### 78. Miscellaneous

**ROSE BUSHES,** Azaleas, Camellias, fruit trees, shrubs, bedding plants and pottery. E. H. Byers Nursery, Highway 29 South, call 777-3543.

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SIDE GLANCES  
By GILL FOX



"Irreconcilable bumper stickers!"

CARNIVAL  
By DICK TURNER FLASH GORDON



"This one was owned by a little old lady who never had anything to do with the Women's Liberation Movement!"

THE BORN LOSER  
By DAN BARRY



OUT OUR WAY  
By NEG COCKRAN



QUICK QUIZ  
By NEG COCKRAN

Q—Which of Charles Dickens' novels was never completed?

A—"The Mystery of Edwin Drood." Nobody knows how Dickens intended the mystery to end and the problem still intrigues readers.

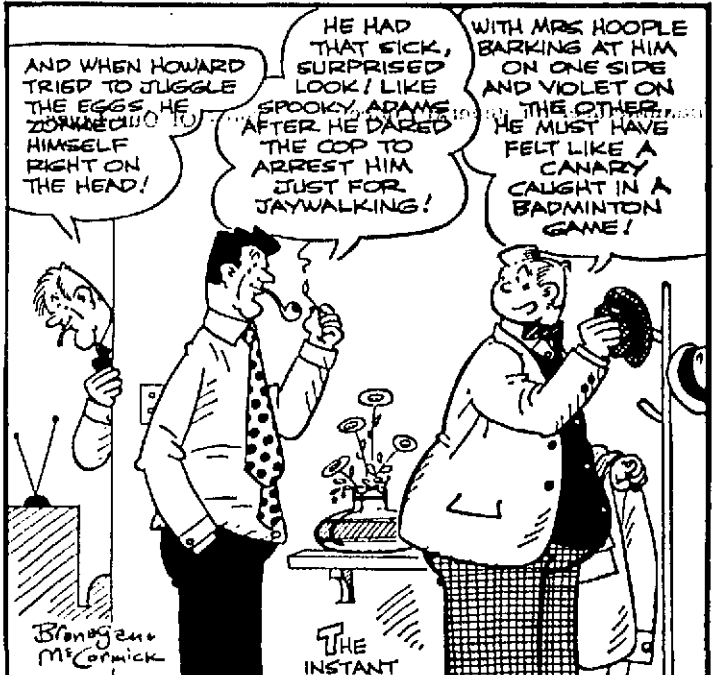
Q—Which U.S. state capital installed the first parking meters in the nation?

A—Oklahoma City, Okla., in 1935. A nickel-in-the-slot parking meter was installed at each 20-foot space.

THE BORN LOSER  
By ART SANSON



OUR BOARDING HOUSE  
By MAJOR HOOPLE



December Poetry  
By MAJOR HOOPLE

ACROSS

1 "I shall — you in December" (Joyce)

5 "Men are April when they woo, December when they fight" (Shakespeare)

8 "— roses in December, ice in June" (Byron)

12 Arabian sultanate

13 Stir

14 Album (Roman)

15 Finest

16 "Ah, distinctly this is the bleak December" (Poe)

18 Ensnare

20 Jewish ascetic

21 Cloth measure

22 District staff man (ab.)

23 Way of feeding a horse (2 words)

27 Make into law

31 East (Fr.)

32 Directress of man's fate (Teut.)

34 Of that woman

35 Palm leaf

36 Once existed

37 Malt brew

38 Direction

40 Create an earl, for example

43 Lubricant

45 Grayish-brown

46 Citrus fruit

49 Storehouses

53 Tea box

ALLEY OOP  
By V. T. HAMLIN



EEK & MEK  
By HOMER SCHNEIDER




CAMPUS CLATTER  
By LARRY LEWIS



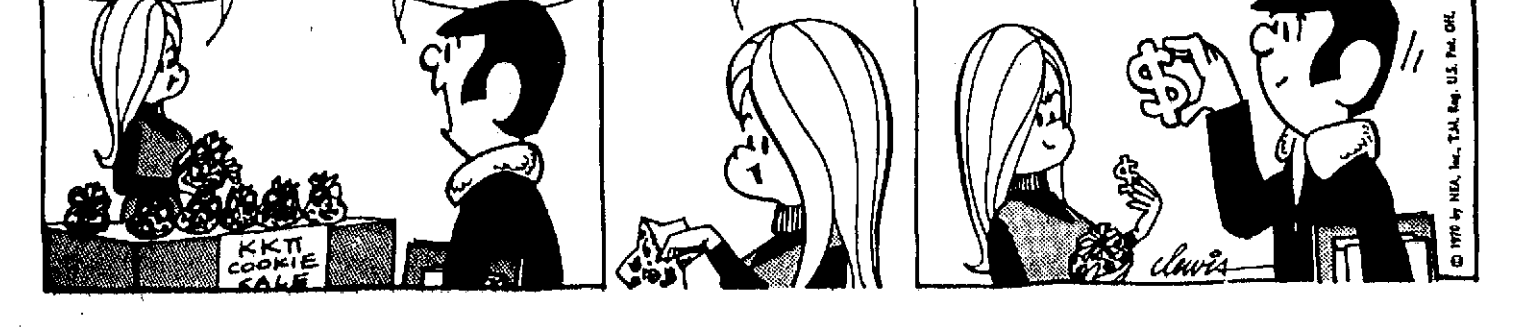
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# Hope Star SPORTS

## Oakland, Jets and Giants Are Picked

NEW YORK (AP) — It'll be Title Day in the National Football League Sunday with the final three division champions plus two other playoff contenders emerging from among the 10 teams still in the running for post-season action.

Only three teams—Baltimore, Minnesota and Oakland—have clinched division titles and qualified for conference playoffs Dec. 26 and 27.

The 10 teams still in the running are Cincinnati, Cleveland, Miami and Kansas City in the American Conference and New York, Dallas, St. Louis, Detroit, Los Angeles and San Francisco in the National Conference.

Here are the picks following last week's 7-5-1 record that made the over-all ark 52-34-5:

**SATURDAY**  
New York Jets 27, Baltimore 20—Figure this as an upset with the Colts easing off somewhat with the tie clinched and Earl Morrill expected to do most of the quarterbacking.

**SUNDAY**  
Oakland 31, San Francisco 24—Raiders don't need this one for the title, but they need it for their pride. It should be an interesting passing duel between leading TD bombers Daryle Lamonica of Oakland and John Brodie of San Francisco.

New York Giants 24, Los Angeles 21—A victory will clinch the NFC East title for the Giants, and Fran Tarkenton has the mind to lead the way against the Rams. A loss would deprive Los Angeles of any shot at NFC West title that then would go to 49ers.

St. Louis 28, Washington 24—This one also has an interesting personal duel between running backs MacArthur Lane of Cardinals and Larry Brown of Redskins. Give St. Louis the edge since there still is a chance for a playoff berth.

Dallas 35, Houston 17—A battle among Texans with the Cowboys having much more riding on the outcome.

Detroit 27, Green Bay 17—Bart Starr will be in harness for the Packers, but the playoff-hopeful Lions have too many weapons.

Miami 38, Buffalo 21—The Bills have one thing going for them—the Dennis Shaw to Martin Briscoe passing combination. But the Dolphins should be able to shoot Larry Csonka and Jim Kiick through the Buffalo defensive line with little difficulty.

Cincinnati 24, Boston 14—A victory will bring the Bengals the AFC Central title for Paul Brown, who has made an expansion team a contender in just three years.

Cleveland 28, Denver 20—The last game for Coach Blanton Collier, and naturally the Browns would like to send him out a winner.

Kansas City 24, San Diego 13—Only an outside playoff chance for Chiefs, but they don't like to lose even if nothing's at stake.

Minnesota 24, Atlanta 10—Nothing at stake here, but the Vikings won't want to lose their winning touch.

Chicago 28, New Orleans 21—Dick Gordon will catch enough passes to give the Bears the decision.

Philadelphia 17, Pittsburgh 14—Could go either way but the Eagles could be just a bit stronger at this late stage.

## Solunar Tables

The schedule of Solunar Periods, as printed below, has been taken from Richard Alden Knight's SOLUNAR TABLES. Plan your days so that you will be fishing in good territory or hunting in good cover during these times, if you wish to find the best sport that each day has to offer.

Date		A.M.		P.M.	
Dec.	Day	Minor	Major	Minor	Major
18	Friday	9:30	3:20	9:55	3:40
19	Saturday	10:10	4:00	10:35	4:20
20	Sunday	10:50	4:40	11:20	5:05

## Holiday Tourneys Underway

By TED MEIER

Associated Press Sports Writer

The merry whirl of Christmas holiday college basketball tournaments accelerates tonight. Many of the leading teams, led by the third-ranked Kentucky Wildcats, will play in 14 major tourneys in the states of Kentucky, Kansas, Tennessee, West Virginia, North Carolina, Nebraska, Utah, Texas, Louisiana, New Mexico and California.

The bulk of the numerous holiday tournaments usually come between Christmas and New Year's, but in recent years more and more have been scheduled on the last weekend before Christmas. Some already have been held such as the Mountaineer Classic, Cable Car Classic and the Bluebonnet Classic last weekend.

Kentucky meets Kansas State in the UK Invitational at Lexington, Ky. tonight after Purdue plays DePaul.

It will be Houston vs. Villanova and St. Joseph's, Pa. vs. Kansas in the Jayhawk Classic at Lawrence, Kan. while at Lincoln, Neb. Oklahoma City battles Colorado State and Miami, Fla. faces Nebraska in the Husker Classic.

The Vandy Classic at Nashville finds St. John's of New York pitted against Southern Methodist and Clemson against Vanderbilt. In the Volunteer Classic at Knoxville it's Detroit vs. Providence and San Francisco vs. Tennessee.

First round games also are listed for the Marshall Invitational at Huntington, W. Va., the Big Four at Greensboro, N.C., Utah Classic at Salt Lake City, Sun Bowl at El Paso, Tex., Bayou Classic at Lafayette, La., Lobo Invitational at Albuquerque, N.M., Fresno, Calif. Classic, Cowboy Classic at Abilene, Tex. and the Texas Classic doubleheader at Port Worth.

St. Bonaventure, No. 19 and the only team in the Associated Press Top Twenty to see action Thursday night, made it four in a row by defeating Army 58-51. The Bonnies, led by 23 points from sophomore Carl Jackson, came from behind in the second half to defeat the Cadets in the feature of a doubleheader in New York's Madison Square Garden. Niagara downed Long Island 72-66 in the opener.

Cincinnati pulled out a 73-70 overtime victory over Iowa on a jumper by Charlie Snow with 25 seconds left and two free throws by Dave Johnson with just one second on the clock.

St. Louis routed Princeton 82-52, Syracuse overcame Penn State 92-81 and Mississippi State shaded Arkansas 69-67 on Randy Hodges' 10 points in the last four minutes.

Citadel defeated George Washington 73-68, Virginia whacked William and Mary 107-86, Dayton routed Los Angeles Loyola 80-59 and Long Beach State romped over Wisconsin-Milwaukee 77-52 in other games.

## AM&N Slips Past Harding at Searcy

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
Arkansas AM&N slipped past Harding College 81-72 at Searcy Thursday night, setting up an early season showdown with Southern State at Pine Bluff Saturday night.

The victory gave AM&N a 4-1 record in AIC play. Southern State leads the conference with a 4-0 record followed by Henderson with a 3-0 mark. Henderson does not play again until after the Christmas holidays. Gerald Lockett scored 28 points and pulled down 17 rebounds and Joe Byrnes added 26 points in the Golden Lions' victory over Harding. AM&N led by three points with less than six minutes remaining, but eight straight points gave the Lions a comfortable 79-68 advantage.

Dan Artman paced the Bisons with 15 points. In tonight's action, Hendrix is at College of the Ozarks and School of the Ozarks is at Arkansas College.

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Basketball				
Pro Basketball				
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NBA				
Eastern Conference				
Atlantic Division				
	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
New York	26	10	.722	—
Boston	20	11	.646	3½
Philadelphia	18	17	.514	7½
Buffalo	10	24	.294	15

Central Division				
Baltimore	18	13	.581	—
Cincinnati	12	17	.414	5
Atlanta	10	21	.323	8
Cleveland	2	33	.057	18

Western Conference				
Midwest Division				
Milwaukee	23	5	.821	—
Chicago	18	11	.621	5½
Detroit	21	13	.618	5
Phoenix	20	15	.571	6½

Pacific Division				
Los Angeles	18	12	.600	—
San Fran.	20	15	.571	½
San Diego	18	17	.514	2½
Seattle	14	21	.400	6½
Portland	11	24	.314	9½

**Thursday's Results**  
Boston 102, Buffalo 93  
Phoenix 117, Detroit 114, OT  
Philadelphia 125, Seattle 117  
Only games scheduled

**Friday's Games**  
Boston at Milwaukee  
Cincinnati at Chicago  
Portland vs. San Francisco at San Diego  
Detroit at San Diego  
Atlanta vs. Baltimore at College Park, Md.  
Cleveland at Buffalo  
Only games scheduled

**Saturday's Games**  
Boston at Baltimore  
Milwaukee at Cincinnati  
Chicago at New York  
Los Angeles at Atlanta  
Portland vs. San Diego at Oakland  
Philadelphia vs. San Francisco at Oakland  
Phoenix at Seattle  
Buffalo at Cleveland

**Sunday's Games**  
Buffalo at Milwaukee  
New York at Phoenix  
San Diego at Seattle  
Philadelphia at Portland  
Detroit vs. Cincinnati at Omaha, Neb.  
Chicago at Cleveland  
Only games scheduled

ABA				
East Division				
	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Virginia	21	10	.677	—
Kentucky	21	10	.677	—
Floridians	14	16	.467	6½
New York	13	16	.448	7
Pittsburgh	12	20	.375	9½
Carolina	10	19	.345	1

**West Division**  
Utah ..... 20 9 .690 —  
Indiana ..... 18 11 .621 2  
Memphis ..... 16 15 .516 5  
Denver ..... 11 19 .367 9½  
Texas ..... 9 20 .310 11

**Thursday's Results**  
Kentucky 126, Floridians 123  
Denver 108, Memphis 99  
Only games scheduled

**Friday's Games**  
Carolina vs. Virginia at Richmond, Va.  
Floridians at Kentucky  
Denver at Pittsburgh  
Utah vs. Texas at Lubbock, Tex.

**Saturday's Games**  
Kentucky vs. Virginia at Hampton, Va.  
Texas at Indiana  
Denver vs. Carolina at Charlotte, N.C.  
Utah at Memphis  
Only games scheduled

**Sunday's Games**  
Carolina at Utah  
Texas at New York  
Only games scheduled

## Sunday Is Frantic Day in Pro Play

The casual flip of a coin could climax a frantic final day of the National Football League's regular season Sunday.

With 10 teams still bidding for five remaining playoff berths, the closest races in NFL history go down to the wire and things are so tight that Dallas, Detroit and the New York Giants may need a telephonic coin flip to settle the muddled situation.

All three teams carry 9-4 records into their final games, the Giants and Cowboys in the National Conference's Eastern Division and the Lions in the Central Division. Detroit cannot catch Minnesota—one of three teams that have already clinched division crowns—but can qualify for the playoffs as the best second place finisher in the conference.

If the Cowboys, Lions and Giants all win Sunday or if the Giants and Lions play ties and the Cowboys win, it will require a coin flip to determine the NFC's fourth qualifier.

Should the Giants and Cowboys both win Sunday's games—and end tied at 10-4—New York hosts Los Angeles and Dallas is at home against Houston—the Giants would get the top spot in the Eastern Division on the basis of a better record within the division.

And should Detroit beat Green Bay and match Dallas' record, a coin flip would be required to determine the playoff berth.

If Dallas wins its game and the Giants and Lions play ties, the Cowboys would be Eastern champs and New York and Detroit would flip for the final playoff berth.

The Lions could get in without a flip too, if they win and both New York and Dallas lose. Should that happen and should St. Louis beat Washington, the Cards would be Eastern champs. The Lions would also make it without a flip if either the Giants win and Dallas lose or Dallas wins and the Giants lose, provided Detroit wins.

Once you've digested that set of contingencies, you're ready to consider the other undecided races.

In the American Conference, Oakland has captured the Western Division and Baltimore the Eastern. Cincinnati has a one game lead over Cleveland in the Central and can clinch that division with either a victory or tie against Boston. Cleveland can

## Rice's Hagan Added to South Staff

MONTGOMERY, Ala. (AP) — Rice football headcoach Harold "Bo" Hagan has been added to the South coaching staff for the 33rd annual Blue-Gray all-star game here Dec. 28.

He will be replacing Jim Pittman who earlier this week accepted the head coaching position at Texas Christian. Pittman coached his Tulane team to a Liberty Bowl victory this year. He told the Blue-Gray committee he would not be able to appear in Montgomery as one of Paul Dietzel's two assistants because of the changeover.

**Arkansas Basketball**  
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
College  
Mississippi St. 69, Arkansas 67  
Arkansas AM&N 81, Harding 72  
John Brown University 83, UALR 74  
Bacone Junior College 116, Westark 109  
High School  
Fort Smith Southside 47, Van Buren 33  
Southern State Invitational At Magnolia Quarterfinals  
Stephens 77, Warren 74  
Smackover 6, Camden 52  
Magnolia 42, Altheimer 40  
Camden Fairview 80, Merson 54  
West Fork Invitational  
Mountainburg 62, Prairie Grove 59  
Gentry 70, Greenland 54  
Rogers 86, Mulberry 54

## Money Is Factor in Sun Bowl

EL PASO, Tex. (AP) — That little piece of paper with George Washington's picture on it suddenly has muscled its way onto the 50-yard line of the 36th annual Sun Bowl.

Money is as important to the million or so residents of the border cities of El Paso, Tex., and Juarez, Mexico, as a 60-yard touchdown pass or a crushing tackle.

Businessmen in El Paso and Jarez expect to gross almost \$1 million on the Sun Bowl.

That's good news, because 1970 has been a hard year.

Inflation has caught up with the "Yanquis" on the American side of the border. A repeal of Mexico's quickie divorce laws has cost Jarez residents more than \$1.5 million.

The change in emphasis could be seen and felt Thursday as the Texas Tech and Georgia Tech teams arrived by plane in El Paso. On hand were the usual Mariachi band, the high school chorus, a host of dignitaries, and lots of people.

Forgotten in all the pomp and

Friday, December 18, 1970  
pageantry was the game itself which could be among the best of the post-season classics. The game is rated even and both teams bring 8-3 records into the contest.

The statistics show that Georgia Tech has an edge offensively, while Texas Tech is slightly stingier defensively.

Georgia Tech's 5-7, 165-pound tailback Brent Cunningham, gained 740 yards during the regular season for the Yellow Jackets. Georgia Tech Coach Bud Carson says, "If we can get Cunningham outside 10 times in a game, he'll break one for a touchdown."

Texas Tech's halfback Doug McCutchen, a 5-11, 202-pound bulldozer, trampled over opponents for 1,086 yards this year and was named the Southwest Conference Sophomore of the Year.

Then there's 6-5, 250-pound offensive guard Jerry Ryan who faces the unenviable task of trying to push around Georgia Tech's All-American defensive tackle Rock Perdoni.

The game will be televised nationally by CBS.



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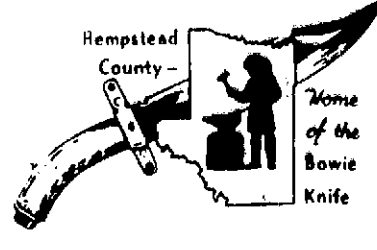
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## No Truth to Snooping, Army Claims

By JIM LUTHER  
Associated Press Writer  
WASHINGTON (AP) — The Army says a preliminary investigation has found no truth to charges the U.S. military spied on an Illinois senator, congressman and former governor.

"I can state that neither Sen. Stevenson, Rep. Mikva, nor former Gov. Kerner are or ever have been the subject of military intelligence activities or investigations related to political activities," Secretary of the Army Stanley R. Resor said in a statement Thursday.

Resor replied to charges raised a day earlier by Sen. Sam J. Ervin Jr., D-N.C., who quoted a former Army agent as saying Army intelligence personnel had collected data on Sen. Adlai Stevenson III, former Gov. Otto Kerner, now a federal judge, and Rep. Abner Mikva.

The allegations, Resor said, "are without foundation in fact." He pledged the Army's cooperation in Ervin's probe of the former agent's story.

Resor said the agent's statement that several other Illinois citizens—including civil, church, education and political leaders—were spied on will be investigated separately. The investigation is continuing in the case of the three Democratic officials, he said.

Ervin quoted the former agent as saying the military intelligence unit at one time was spying on every person in Illinois who expressed disagreement with U.S. involvement in Southeast Asia or who openly opposed Nixon administration domestic policies.

There has been no indication what use, if any, was made of information allegedly gathered by the agents.

After Ervin issued the report of the former agent's statement, the White House released a statement opposing domestic spying and said, "It will not be done under this administration."

Asked whether military personnel actually are engaged in spying on citizens, White House press secretary Ronald L. Ziegler pointed to a statement by Secretary of Defense Melvin R. Laird: "It is not going on in any way at this time."

However, The Associated Press has obtained documents outlining Air Force and Navy requirements for investigation and reporting on "civil disturbances and dissident or subversive activities."

When Sen. Ervin asked about the guidelines, Robert C. Moot, assistant secretary of defense, said the Pentagon has a "very real concern for the privacy and constitutional rights of members of the armed forces...."

"As a general rule, investigations are not initiated where the allegation is based on the mere expression of views opposing official U.S. policy in Vietnam," Moot said. "Participation out of uniform in orderly antiwar protest activities normally does not warrant an investigation."

## Burns Fatal to Arkansan

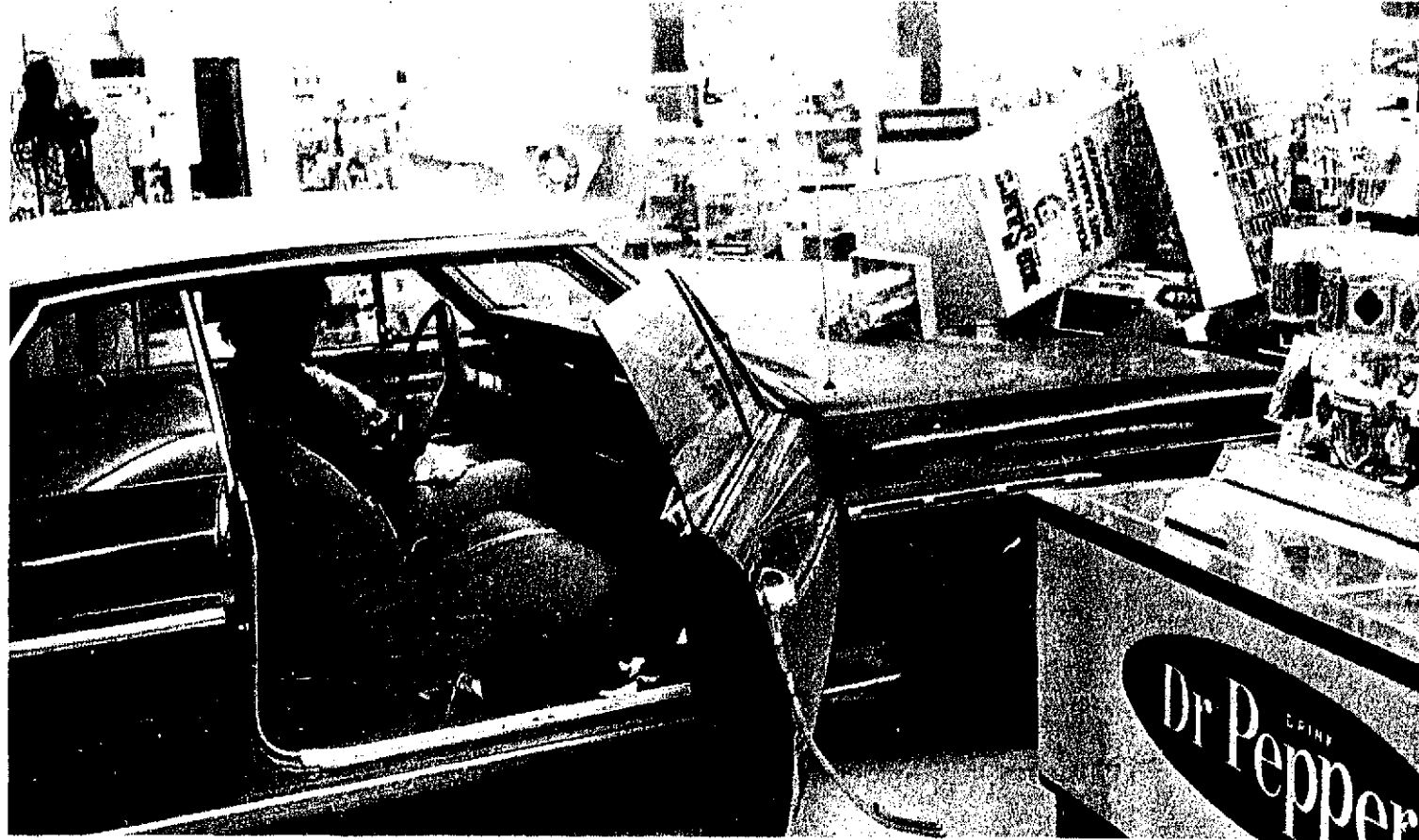
ANCHORAGE, Alaska (AP) — James A. Murphy, 24, of Norphlet, Ark., died Wednesday of burns suffered when fire swept through a Parker Drilling Co. crew camp at Prudhoe Bay.

A spokesman for the firm said Murphy died while en route to a Seattle hospital by plane.

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SHOPPING DAYS  
TILL CHRISTMAS

## Look Lady, This Really Isn't a Drive-in



## U.S. Spends Million on Panels That Are Meaningless, Obsolete 4 Lawmakers Took Money From Bankers

WASHINGTON (AP) — Four congressmen and a senator are reported to have accepted campaign donations from a controversial bankers' fund, but five more lawmakers were listed by an investigator as having turned down the checks.

This brought to 18 the number of senators and congressmen who rejected the contributions from the Bankers Political Action Committee in a furor triggered by charges that the donations were aimed at influencing a pending bank regulation bill.

Both the Justice Department and a House special elections committee are investigating.

Sen. Harry F. Byrd, Ind.-Va., received a \$5,000 check the day after the election, his campaign treasurer said Thursday. One source close to the investigations also said Reps. Thomas L. Ashley, D-Ohio, and Charles H. Griffin, D-Miss., had acknowledged accepting \$2,500 each. The source said Rep. Benjamin R. Blackburn, R-Ga., received \$1,000.

Rep. Garry E. Brown, R-Mich., had said last month he would accept his \$2,500 contribution and added, "I see nothing wrong with it."

In a revised report to Congress this week, the bank group listed 13 senators and congressmen who had refused the donations and returned them in full.

But an investigator said even the latest report left out five other congressmen who had also turned down the checks.

The investigator said the bank group omitted the names from the revised report, but pointed out in a separate private accounting the checks hadn't been cashed.

## Rare Blood Only Chance for Youth

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — The Red Cross Blood Bank here is asking for a special blood type which the bank says is the "only chance" for a young man who is hospitalized at Little Rock with a "rare disease."

A bank spokesman said the unidentified young man would need a unit of blood a day for five or six days.

The spokesman said a donor was needed who has either O or B negative or O or B positive blood and who has had the shingles, a red skin rash, or the chicken pox within the last four to six weeks. The spokesman said that such blood contains an immunity to the unidentified disease the man is suffering from.

WASHINGTON (AP) — A house committee estimated today the federal government spends \$75 million a year supporting 3,200 advisory panels—many of which it said are meaningless, obsolete or performing duplicate jobs.

While declaring proper use of such committees is necessary and helpful, the Government Operations Committee deplored inactive ones that are tucked away in bureaucratic obscurity accomplishing nothing.

The report said there are committees to advise advisory committees, committees without appointees, committees with appointed members which do not meet, committees with staffs which do not meet, and committees which go on forever.

Some committees exist in name only, the congressmen said, new members are appointed to expired boards, many panels waste time getting started, some committees cover territory already explored by a previous board, and often conclusions and recommendations are flatly ignored by the people who appoint panels.

The panel proliferation began during George Washington's administration, the House group said, and now has reached the point where no one really knows the extent of manpower being consumed—and there is no way to effectively evaluate the finished product.

In the report climaxing an 18-month review the House panel said was the first comprehensive look at the situation, the committee stated presidential panels—those with at least one member picked by the White House—"generally lack adequate administrative guidelines and management control."

The average Cabinet member serves on about 30 interagency committees—which, the House group said, makes him no more than a token representative.

## Temperatures Scheduled to Be Warmer

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
The National Weather Service says that temperatures through Saturday will be warmer. However, the prediction is for showers for most of the state as a low pressure area moves in by tonight.

As the cold front passes through the state, temperatures will begin falling by Saturday.

Highs Thursday ranged from 50 at Jonesboro to 66 at Texarkana.

Overnight lows were Fayetteville, 45; Jonesboro, 35; Pine Bluff, 39; Texarkana, 47; El Dorado, 43; Memphis, 36; Little Rock, 33; and Fort Smith, 38.

Patricia Smith, Rt. 2, Hope, drove right in to the checking stand last night at the 7-11 Store on East Third St. Nobody was hurt but the store was a mess and the car damaged. The driver told investigating City Officers that the car brakes failed and she couldn't stop.

## 3 Accidents Investigated by Police

Three accidents were investigated by Hope City Police during the past 24 hours. A freak accident occurred at the East Third 7-11 Store about 10 p.m. when an auto driven by Patricia Smith, Rt. 2, Hope, plunged into the store and came to halt at the checking counter.

Fortunately, nobody was in the checking area, and the driver was not hurt. There was considerable damage to the store. The driver told officers the brakes failed. She was charged with driving without a license.

At Village Shopping Center parking lot an auto driven by Frances Macy hit a motorcycle owned by Cleo D. Shelton. There was considerable damage, according to Officers Sinyard and Shirley.

About noon yesterday at North Pine and West Avenue B a city truck driven by Paul Henley and a Jeep driven by Herbert Griffin Jr. collided with small damage resulting. There was no charge by investigating Officer R. Rowe.

## Liquor Still Seized South of Emmet

Nevada County officers Wednesday arrested two Malvern men in a raid on an illegal still operation eight miles south of Emmet.

Sheriff Arthur L. Wicker said James Marvin Stanley, 20, and John Allen Robbins, 32, were arraigned before a U.S. Commissioner in Texarkana Thursday on charges of possession of unregistered stills, possession of mash and non-tax-paid whiskey and carrying on a business of a distiller with bond. They were released on bond.

Officers said the still included three 550-gallon pots, one in operation when the raid was made. Confiscated were 83 and a half gallons of whiskey and 1,400 gallons of mash.

## Yost Rejected Another Post

UNITED NATIONS (AP) — Charles W. Yost, who is being replaced as U.S. ambassador to the United Nations, is apparently rejecting President Nixon's offer of some other government post.

Asked by a newsman Thursday why Texas Congressman George Bush had been named to succeed him, Yost said: "I think that question probably should be addressed elsewhere."

## Ceasefire of 24 Hours in Vietnam

By GEORGE ESPER  
Associated Press Writer

SAIGON (AP) — American and South Vietnamese forces in Vietnam will observe 24-hour cease-fires for Christmas and New Year's, but informed sources said American bombers would continue heavy raids on North Vietnamese supply routes in Laos and Cambodia during the truces.

The allied commands announced today that their forces in Vietnam would hold their fire unless attacked from 6 p.m. Dec. 24 Saigon time until 6 p.m. Christmas Day, and from 6 p.m. New Year's Eve to 6 p.m. Jan. 1.

The Viet Cong announced earlier that its forces would observe cease-fires of three days each over Christmas and New Year's, and four days for the Tet festival of the lunar new year the last week in January.

The cease-fires proclaimed last year by the opposing sides were of the same length.

The American and South Vietnamese commands said nothing about a Tet cease-fire, but they are expected to announce one of at least 24 hours duration unless they detect a massive enemy buildup indicating a repetition of the 1968 Tet offensive. Launched under cover of a cease-fire, that was the biggest enemy offensive of the war.

Neither the allied nor the Viet Cong cease-fire announcements said anything about Cambodia, where 12,500 South Vietnamese troops are currently operating and American bombers fly in support of Cambodian troops as well as the South Vietnamese.

The spokesman in Phnom Penh for the Cambodian Command said he personally doesn't think there should be a cease-fire, but he indicated his government has reached no decision on the matter.

Gen. Creighton W. Abrams, the commander of U.S. forces in Vietnam, told his men in a Christmas message that "sacrifice is as much a part of Christmas as are the joy and warmth of being with family and loved ones."

"Your sacrifice for the Vietnamese people who are fighting for their freedom of choice is in the spirit of this season," Abrams said.

## State Trooper Receives Award

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — State Trooper Finis Duvall, 27, of Stuttgart was presented the American Red Cross Certificate of Merit Thursday for saving the life of a traffic accident victim July 4.

J. E. Dunlap of Harrison, State Police Commission chairman, presented the award to Duvall who twice administered resuscitation to revive Charles Huff Jr., 20, of Stuttgart.

## Senate Conglomerate Bill on SS, Welfare, Trade Appears Dead

By JOE HALL  
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate's conglomerate bill on Social Security, trade, welfare and a variety of other subjects appears dead despite a demand from President Nixon that Congress take it up before it adjourns.

Rep. Wilbur D. Mills, D-Ark., powerful chairman of the House Ways and Means Committee, said Thursday he sees no chance of rescuing the legislation in a conference, even if the Senate passes it.

And key senators, after a parliamentary go-round lasting for hours, said all the maneuvering leaves almost no chance for the legislation in the Senate.

Nevertheless, supporters of the three major provisions in the bill still are trying to keep their pet projects alive.

Backers of a 10-per cent Social Security increase said they expect the big bill to die but still hope to slip their proposal through at the last minute as a rider on an excise tax extension bill.

Sponsors of a quota-setting trade rider attached to the omnibus bill in the Senate Finance Committee succeeded in getting a bottled version of it up for Senate debate.

And administration officials continued to lobby hard to get the Senate to attach President Nixon's welfare reform proposal to the bill. The welfare plan would guarantee a family of four a \$1,600 annual income.

The foreign-trade, welfare reform and other measures were attached to the Social Security bill by sponsors who hoped their legislation could be carried through by the popular Social Security proposal.

Mills said it would not be fair to the House to consider the many-faceted bill in a conference in the dying days of the session.

He pointed out the Senate Finance Committee had discarded the separate House measures on trade and welfare reform, and thus these House versions would not even get consideration in a Senate-House meeting.

The cut-down version of the trade rider maneuvered before the Senate Thursday contained only three items—textile and shoe quotas and authority for the president to cut tariffs 20 per cent.

## Ozark Reservoir Development

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — The Hardy Construction Co. of Pine Bluff submitted the apparent low bid of \$343,367.50 Thursday on the initial development of four recreation areas on Ozark Reservoir on the Arkansas River.

## All Around Town

By The Star Staff

Dr. Lloyd Gerin of Conway was recently appointed consulting optometrist for the State Welfare Department's Visual Care Service of the Medicaid Program...the aim of the program is to serve welfare recipients under 21 years by providing examinations and eyeglasses for eligible children...a native of San Francisco, he received a degree in optometry in 1952 from Southern College of Optometry in Memphis...Dr. Gerin moved his practice from Hope to Conway in 1967...he is married to the former Jacqueline Thompson of Hope, daughter of Dr. Emmett Thompson, and they have six children...he is a member of the Methodist Church, Arkansas Optometric Association, Rotary, Masons and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H.T. Guerin of Washougal, Washington.

Speaker-elect of the Arkansas House, Rep. Ray Smith Jr. of Hot Springs, announced the appointment of Hempstead Rep. Mack McLarty of Hope to the following committees...Banks & Banking, Industrial Development and Agriculture.

Burglars broke into the Taylor Grain Co. office on North Hazel Street Thursday night and literally tore it apart...For their efforts they netted practically nothing as there was very little money in the office, according to investigating City Police.

## AP News Digest

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

WARSAW (AP) — Radio reports on the situation in riot-torn Gdansk were contradictory early today, with Radio Warsaw saying life there was back to normal and a broadcast from Szczecin indicating trouble continued. Meanwhile, tension was described as increasing around Poland. The government has declared the equivalent of a state of emergency throughout the country and warned that demonstrators would be shot on sight.

RIO DE JANEIRO (AP) — A local news agency reports Brazilian authorities were holding talks with the Chilean and Algerian embassies to arrange asylum for 70 political prisoners whose release has been demanded in exchange for the kidnapped Swiss ambassador. Such meetings would be the first indication the Brazilian government is willing to negotiate with the kidnappers.

ALSDORF, Germany (AP) — The 2½-year-long thalidomide trial has ended without a formal verdict but the court says it is convinced the drug was responsible for the epidemic of malformed infants a decade ago. The no verdict ending came after the company that manufactured the drug set up a \$27.3 million fund for malformed children.

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## Horatio Woman Killed in Wreck

CAMDEN, Ark. (AP) — Mrs. Ollie Schooley, 55, of near Horatio was killed Thursday when the vehicle she was driving was struck by a truck on U.S. 79 south of here. State Police said Mrs. Schooley was attempting to turn onto U.S. 79 when the accident occurred.

## Fights Disrupt School at Texarkana

TEXARKANA, Ark. (AP) — Following an unannounced meeting of the Texarkana School Board Thursday night, the board issued a plea to parents to encourage their children not to become involved in the fighting that has occurred at the Texarkana High School this week.

Police were called to the campus Wednesday and Thursday after fighting broke out between students.

School Supt. E. D. Trice said that between 20 and 50 students have been suspended as a result of the fighting.

Trice said the school board instructed him to use whatever assistance necessary from the police to curb disturbances at the school.

When the fighting began, Trice said it was non-racial, but now he says it has become a racial problem.

It was reported that the disturbances began after two black youths joined in a fight between two white students to help their white friend. Other students then joined the fighting, which continued through Thursday. When school was dismissed Thursday, three police units were at the school's campus.